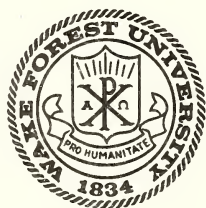




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# **RANDOLPH BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**

**of North Carolina**

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REV. RALPH HOLCOMB, Moderator

REV. R. L. HUGHES, Vice Moderator

1971-1972 THEME:

"The Lordship of Christ"

**37th ANNUAL SESSION**

**1971**

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MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH, Liberty N. C.

October 20

CENTRAL FALLS BAPTIST CHURCH, Central Falls, N. C.

October 21

Music Under The Direction of

Larry Freeman

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# ***RANDOLPH BAPTIST ASSOCIATION***

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**37th ANNUAL SESSION**

***1971***

Held with  
Macedonia Baptist, First Day  
Central Falls Baptist, Second Day  
October 20 - 21

Next Session  
October 18, 19, 1972  
Wednesday, October 18 — Randleman First  
Thursday, October 19 — Shady Grove Baptist

Annual Sermon: Troy Jones; Alternate: Harvey Rumfelt

Doctrinal Sermon: B. G. Pratt; Alternate: Austol Youmans

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## ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

Moderator ----- R. L. Hughes      Clerk ----- Fred Lane  
Vice Moderator ----- Carl King      Treasurer ----- James R. Lane

## Associational Officers

Brotherhood Director ----- Carl Zeigler  
 Music Director ----- Larry Freeman  
 Trustees: H. Wade Yates, Chairman  
           W. Sumner Farlow  
           Wiley Jones  
 Chairman of Evangelism ----- M. A. Pegram  
 Hospital Representative ----- John Jackson  
 Children's Home Representative ----- T. W. Nelson  
 Baptist Homes for Aging Representative:  
 Literature Chairman ----- Hansel Neathery  
 Temperance and Morals ----- Neal Cockerham  
 Annuity Board Chairman ----- Carl King

## Sunday School Officers

Sunday School Director ----- Troy E. Jones

Division Directors:

Pre-School Director ----- Mrs. W. T. Denson,  
Mrs. Cecil Hilliard

Children's Director ----- Otus Thomas

Youth Director ----- W. A. Gillett

Adult Director ----- Benny Hampton

Vacation Bible School Director -----

## Committees

### Committee on Ordination

Troy E. Jones, Chairman  
B. G. Pratt  
W. E. Eaton  
H. C. Neathery  
Bennie Maness

### Committee on Missions

J. B. Gibson, Chairman  
Austol Youmans  
Fred Carlton  
John Mangum

### Committee on Organization of New Churches

Carl Zeigler, Chairman  
Curtis Barbery  
Albert Taylor

### Committee on Appreciation

Mrs. Carl King, Chairman  
Mrs. Austol Youmans

### Committee on Place and Preacher

Thurman Williams, Chairman  
Donnie Yates  
Bill Barnes

### Resolutions Committee

J. B. Gibson, Chairman  
M. A. Pegram  
T. W. Nelson

### Committee on Constitution

Wade Yates, Chairman  
A. B. York, Jr.  
Otus Thomas

### Committee on Nominations

Kermit Pell, Chairman  
Willis Swift  
Ray Cashatt  
Joe Anderson  
M. A. Pegram

### Committee on Memorials

John Jackson, Chairman  
Darrell Cox

### Committee on Order of Business

Francis Lunsford, Chairman  
J. T. Martin  
Ralph Holcomb  
Wade Yates  
T. W. Nelson

### House and Grounds Committee

Marvin Caviness, Chairman  
Fletcher Skeen  
Mrs. J. B. Gibson

### Committee on Budget and Finance

Earl Underwood, Chairman  
James Lane  
J. B. Gibson  
Colon McNeill  
William A. Gillett



## CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

### ARTICLE I — NAME AND OBJECT

Section 1. The name of the organization shall be the Randolph Baptist Association.

Section 2. The purpose of this organization shall be:

- a. The promotion of harmony, fellowship and cooperation among the churches of the Association.
- b. The propagation of the Gospel within the territory of the Association and to the uttermost part of the earth.
- c. The promotion of the missionary, education and benevolent causes of Christ within the Association and in cooperation with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

### ARTICLE II — MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. The membership of the Association shall consist of messengers of Baptist churches regularly affiliated with the Association. All churches desiring affiliation with the Association shall present to the Committee on Reception of New Churches proper petitions, accompanied by satisfactory evidences of doctrinal regularity and general acceptability. After one year under the watchcare of the Association the said Committee will report to the Association its recommendation. Upon a favorable vote of two-thirds majority of the messengers present at the annual associational meeting the petitioning church may become regularly affiliated with the Association.

Section 2. (A) Fellowship may be withdrawn by the Association at any annual meeting, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee, from any church in its membership that has been found, by due investigation, to have departed from the Missionary Baptist faith and practices, or has failed to abide by the provision of this Constitution and By-Laws.

(B) Such a church may, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee and vote of the Association, be placed on probation until the conditions prompting such action have been corrected. Messengers from any church on probation shall not be allowed to vote in the meetings of the Association.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of each church to furnish to the Association each year a letter, on the form provided by the Clerk, giving full information and statistics provided for on the form, and to send with the letter or by messenger a contribution toward the cost of printing the minutes and other expenses of the Association.

Section 4. It is understood that each church in this Association is independent and sovereign in its own affairs, and the Association has no authority over the churches, except of an advisory nature.

Section 5. A church may withdraw from membership in the Association by a vote of the church according to its own by-laws, regulations or procedure.

### ARTICLE III — MEETINGS

Section 1. The Association shall meet annually on two days during the week following the Third Sunday in October.

Section 2. The annual meeting shall be composed of messengers

chosen by the respective churches of the Association from their membership. *Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members, or fraction thereof, above one hundred it has enrolled, but not to exceed ten such messengers.* All pastors in the Association and the Field Worker are messengers in all the Associational Meetings, each having but one vote.

Section 3. The Association may hold a Mid-Term meeting each spring at such time and place as may be determined by the Association or its Executive Committee. The purpose of the Mid-Term meeting shall be that of information and inspiration without the transaction of business, except that urgent matters of business which cannot well be delayed until a later meeting may be considered and acted upon.

Section 4. Other meetings of the Association may be held when called by the Executive Committee.

#### ARTICLE IV — OFFICERS

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, and three Trustees.

Section 2. These officers shall be elected on the first day of the regular annual session. The prior approval and consent to serve, if elected, shall have been secured from a prospective nominee prior to placing his name in nomination for any one of the several associational elective offices. They shall take office at the close of the Annual Session and serve through the next Annual Session. Any officer may be re-elected with the exception of the Moderator, who shall not serve more than two years in succession.

Section 3. Duties of the Officers:

- a. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the Association and discharge such duties as are incumbent on the presiding officer of a deliberative body.
- b. The Vice-Moderator shall perform the duties of the Moderator in the absence of or at the request of the Moderator.
- c. The Clerk shall record and preserve the proceeding of the Association, together with the reports and statistics, and have the same printed and distributed. The Treasurer shall preserve all money paid into the treasury, pay the same to the order of the Association, and make a full and complete report of all receipts and disbursements at the Annual Meeting.
- d. The duties of the Trustees shall be to transfer or hold title to any properties for the Association. All transactions of said Trustees shall be authorized by the Association or its Executive Committee.

Section 4. The Association endorses the continued operation of organizations among the churches of the Association for the promotion of the various phases of their work including the Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, Baptist Brotherhood and Woman's Missionary Union. The officers of the Associational Sunday School, Associational Baptist Training Union, and the Associational Baptist Brotherhood shall be nominated by their Nominating Committee and the Nominating Committee of the Association, and approved and elected by the Executive Committee of the Association, and shall serve from October 1 to September 30. The Woman's Missionary Union shall be recognized as an auxiliary organization of the Association.

## ARTICLE V — EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Section 1. The Association shall have an Executive Committee comprised of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Trustees of the Association, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Associational Baptist Brotherhood Director, Associational Woman's Missionary Union Director, the Associational Field Worker, all pastors, all church educational directors, and one member of each church in the Association desiring representation on the Committee.

### Section 2.

- a. The Executive Committee shall hold meetings once each quarter during the second month of the quarter, the date to be set by the Board itself, and at such other times as may be required at the call of the Moderator, or at the call of not less than five members of the Executive Committee.
- b. Twenty members of the Executive Committee shall be required to be present to constitute a quorum.
- c. To act for and on behalf of the Association between sessions.
- d. To carry out the orders and resolutions of the Association pertaining to it.
- e. To superintend the Associational Mission work, employ a missionary and determine the salary to be paid.
- f. To *fill* vacancies which may occur during the year in the personnel of the Associational officers or workers for the remainder of such unexpired term.
- g. To investigate any report of complaint that may be brought to its attention about irregularity of doctrine, practice, or conduct on the part of any individual or group in the Association and report its finding with such recommendations as it considers advisable, to the Association in a regular meeting.
- h. To make such recommendations as it may deem wise for the strengthening and upbuilding of the churches and the work of the Association.
- i. The Executive Committee shall not involve the Association in debt to exceed one hundred dollars for necessary operating expenses of the Association.
- j. To appoint and elect the officers for the Associational organizations of the Sunday School, Church Training, and Baptist Brotherhood.

## ARTICLE VI — ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

### Section 1:

- a. The Associational Council shall be composed of the following Associational officers: Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Associational Woman's Missionary Union Director, Associational Brotherhood Director, Associational Music Director, Chairman of the Evangelism Committee, Chairman of the Budget Committee, Chairman of the Missions Committee, the Field Worker, and others deemed necessary by the Moderator to carry on the work of the Association.

- b. The Moderator shall serve as Chairman of the Council, the Vice-Moderator as vice chairman, and the clerk as secretary.

Section 2:

- a. The Associational Council shall hold meetings once each quarter and at such other times as deemed necessary by the Chairman or at the call of not less than 5 members of the Council.
- b. Seven members of the Council shall be present to constitute a quorum.
- c. The duties of the Associational Council shall be:
  - (1) To plan the general work of the Association.
  - (2) To assign responsibility of the implementation of proposed plans.
  - (3) To receive and help correlate into a general associational program the proposed plans of the individual organizations.
- d. The Council shall give a quarterly report to the Associational Executive Committee along with any recommendations it may have.

## ARTICLE VII — COMMITTEES

Section 1. The Moderator shall appoint a Committee on Committees some weeks before the annual meeting of the Association. This Committee shall prepare its report and shall be given the opportunity to submit its report early on the program of the first day of the annual session. The Committee shall name the following committees to report during the annual session: Committee on Memorials, Committee on Appreciation, and such other committees as may be requested by the Association or Moderator. The Committee on Committees shall also name the following standing committees: Committee on Ordination, Committee on Reception of new churches, Committee on Time, Place and Preacher, Nominating Committee, Committee on Order of Business, Constitution and By-Laws Committee, Budget and Finance Committee, Missions Committee, and such other committees as may be requested by the Association or by the Moderator.

Section 2. Duties of the Committees:

- a. The Committee on Time, Place and Preacher will receive all invitations of the churches which desire the Association to meet with them the next year and will recommend to the Association the time and place to meet the following year, without regard to the order in which the invitations may have been received. This Committee will also recommend a preacher and an alternate for the annual sermon and the doctrinal sermon next session.
- b. The Committee on Memorials will prepare a list of those members of the churches who have died during the year and present suitable memorial resolutions for adoption by the Association.
- c. The Committee on Appreciation will prepare and present appropriate resolutions of appreciation.
- d. The Committee on Order of Business will prepare well in advance a suggested order of business for the annual meeting. The committee will notify those who are to make



reports or have part on the program. This suggested order of business will then be presented to the Association at its regular meeting.

- e. The Nominating Committee shall nominate a complete slate of officers for the next year, excepting the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer.
- f. Guiding Principles for the Work of the Missions Committee of the Randolph Association.
  1. The Committee is to seek to discover areas where new work is needed and to lead in the sponsorship or establishment of new work to meet present need or the securing of property by a local church and/or the Association in the anticipation of future need.
  2. All new work does not necessarily need to be nor should be intended to become an organized or constituted church. New work may be started and maintained on the basis of a mission to meet particular need (this provides for institutional missions such as jails, prisons, rest homes, etc.)
  3. The location of missions or new churches shall be determined by the need revealed in an adequate survey conducted by the Missions Committee and local interested groups or churches.
  4. Any church, committee, group or individuals considering beginning new work, acting with or without church sponsorship, should approach the Missions Committee for guidance before having any service or choosing a temporary or permanent location.
  5. The Missions Committee shall institute basic, understandable operational procedures and practices for a mission that leads in establishing and strongly urges that each church establishing a mission does the same. The guidance of missions by the Missions Committee shall continue until a co-operating church or churches can be led to accept the responsibility of sponsorship.
  6. A mission organized or assisted by the Missions Committee shall accept the recognized principles and practices of a church co-operating with the Randolph Association, the Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

## ARTICLE VIII — ORDINATION AND CALLING OF PASTORS

Section 1. Inasmuch as the ordination of a man to the gospel ministry by any church in this Association is expected to be recognized by the denomination as a whole, the churches are counseled to be extremely careful in the matter of setting men apart for this sacred calling, ordaining only those who, by irreproachable character, piety of life, doctrinal soundness and suitable talents, give promise of honoring the name of Christ and of rendering acceptable service in the missionary Baptist ministry.

Section 2. To aid the churches in this vital matter, the Association will appoint each year a committee of five of the pastors to be called the Committee on Ordination. Any church desiring to ordain a brother to the ministry may request the said Committee to act as a presbytery for the purpose of examining the brother as to his

fitness for the Baptist ministry, and, if he is found qualified, to assist in the ordination.

Section 3. The churches are urged also to exercise the utmost care and wisdom, earnestly seeking the guidance of the Holy Spirit, in calling of their pastors, choosing only men who give evidence by their Christian character, cooperative spirit and leadership ability, that they will serve the best interests of the churches, the denomination, and the cause of Christ.

#### ARTICLE IX — NEW CHURCHES

Baptist churches may be organized and established in localities within the territory of this Association when such new churches are seen to be needed. Those interested in organizing a new church may seek the Counsel of the Executive Committee and the Missions Committee of the Association.

#### ARTICLE X — RULES AND ORDER OF DECORUM

This Association shall be governed in its meetings by such rules and by-laws as may be adopted, amended, or set aside by a majority vote of the messengers present. *Robert's Rules of Order* will be the guide in all parliamentary matters.

#### ARTICLE XI — ADOPTION

The Constitution and By-Laws shall take effect immediately upon its adoption by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present and shall supersede any and all constitutions, by-laws, and amendments previously adopted.

#### ARTICLE XII — AMENDMENTS

This Constitution and By-Laws may be amended at any regular annual meeting by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present, provided the proposed amendment shall have been presented in written form on the first day of the Annual Meeting. The vote on any proposed amendment so presented may be deferred until the second day if requested by a majority vote of the messengers present.

### PROCEEDINGS

The 37th Annual Session of the Randolph Baptist Association convened on Wednesday Morning, October 20, 1971 at the Macedonia Baptist Church.

1. The Annual Session was called to order at 9:30 A. M. by the Moderator, Rev. Ralph Holcomb.

2. Opening Hymn No. 41 — "To God Be The Glory" led by Mr. Larry Freeman and Mrs. Barbara Winslow at the organ.

3. The pastor of the Host Church, Rev. Raleigh Castelloe, read from the 13th chapter of Corinthians and gave the opening prayer. Rev. Castelloe welcomed the messengers.

4. Roll call of the messengers at this time by Fred Lane. Motion was made, seconded, and approved that those present at this time and that would register later constitute the 37th Annual Session.

5. The Order of Business was presented by Rev. R. L. Hughes and adopted as presented.

6. Rev. R. T. Smith, Field Worker for the Association, presented the following; new pastors; Rev. Darrell Cox, Maple Springs; Rev. Justus McKeel, Ramseur; Rev. Andy Grose, Greystone, and Mr. John Samuel, Education Director at the Asheboro, First.

7. Executive Committee report presented by Fred Lane, Clerk.

### Executive Committee Report

One of the most important matters to come before the Executive Committee this past year was that of a night session for the Annual Session of the Association. After quite a bit of discussion, this matter was referred to the Council for further study and a recommendation. The Council did recommend that the Constitution and By-Laws Committee be instructed to bring to the Association such changes in the Constitution, making it possible to hold a Night Session, should the Association desire.

The Executive Committee voted its approval of the "World Missions Conferences" for March 25-30, 1973.

Another matter of importance, the Evangelism Committee is studying the possibility of having a Central Revival in the year 1974.

Respectfully submitted,

Fred Lane, Clerk

8. Committee on Committees report presented at this time by Raleigh Castelloe. This report will be found in the directory part of the minutes.

9. Proposed Constitution changes were presented by Rev. Austol Youmans.

10. Bro. Castelloe informed the messengers that lunch would be served at the Julian Lions Club center in Julian.

11. James Lane, Treasurer, presented his report at this time.

### Treasurer's Report

Balance, October 1, 1970	\$ 1,289.00
Receipts 10-1-70 through 9-30-71	14,473.55
	<u>\$15,762.55</u>

#### Disbursements:

Utilities	\$ 698.26
Supplies	984.30
Secretary	1,137.28
Talmage Smith	7,770.00
Speakers	175.00
Convention Expense	35.00
Professional Literature	22.10
Treasurer	262.50
Clerk	262.50
Church Training	177.32
Retirement	320.00
Social Security	57.71
Insurance	359.00
Vacation Bible School	18.00
Sunday School	147.61
W.M.U.	363.18
Telephone	450.39
Repairs	456.91
Minutes	687.01
Music	5.73
Missions	30.43
Sandy Creek	50.00

Total Disbursements	<u>\$14,440.28</u>
Balance, September 30, 1971	\$ 1,322.27
Savings Fund Balance	<u>\$ 2,311.51</u>

Respectfully submitted,  
James R. Lane

12. The 1972 Budget was presented for approval by Rev. Raleigh Castelloe.

### Randolph Baptist Association Budget For 1972

	1972 Budget
Church Training, "M" Night and Youth Night -----	\$ 325.00
Sunday School -----	300.00
Pastorium Maintenance -----	1,000.00
Bulletins, Supplies, Postage, Printing -----	975.00
Telephone -----	600.00
Minutes -----	750.00
Insurance -----	100.00
Fuel, Lights, and Water -----	700.00
Assistance to Churches -----	200.00
Shubal Stearns Memorial -----	50.00
Evangelism -----	100.00
Brotherhood and R. A.'s -----	100.00
Denominational Meetings -----	300.00
Secretary -----	1,500.00
Music Department -----	100.00
Office Equipment -----	200.00
Visual Aids -----	100.00
Hospital Insurance -----	425.00
W.M.U. -----	300.00
Speakers for Annual Session -----	200.00
Miscellaneous -----	200.00
Clerk -----	270.00
Treasurer -----	270.00
Professional Literature -----	100.00
Salary -----	5,800.00
Travel Expense -----	2,200.00
Retirement -----	320.00
Total Budget for 1972 -----	\$17,485.00



# **Randolph Baptist Association Suggested Goals For 1972**

	1972 Monthly	1972 Annually
Antioch -----	\$ 10.00	\$ 120.00
Armfield Heights -----	20.00	240.00
Asbury -----	30.00	360.00
Asheboro, First -----	200.00	2,400.00
Balfour -----	80.00	960.00
Beulah -----	60.00	720.00
Calvary -----	10.00	120.00
Caraway -----	15.00	180.00
Cedar Falls -----	12.00	144.00
Center Cross -----	12.00	144.00
Central Falls -----	25.00	300.00
Clear View -----	25.00	300.00
Cool Springs -----	10.00	120.00
Deep River -----	30.00	360.00
Fayetteville Street -----	35.00	420.00
Franklinville -----	60.00	720.00
Forest Park -----	35.00	180.00
Glenola -----	35.00	420.00
Gravel Hill -----	15.00	180.00
Greystone -----	35.00	420.00
High Rock -----	10.00	120.00
Hughes Grove -----	10.00	120.00
Huldah -----	20.00	240.00
Jackson Creek -----	10.00	120.00
Liberty, First -----	60.00	720.00
Macedonia -----	35.00	420.00
Maple Springs -----	25.00	300.00
Mt. Lebanon -----	35.00	420.00
Mt. Pleasant -----	35.00	420.00
Oakhurst -----	80.00	960.00
Oakwood Park -----	10.00	120.00
Panther Creek -----	5.00	60.00
Ramseur, First -----	80.00	960.00
Randleman, First -----	80.00	960.00
Red Cross -----	10.00	120.00
Richland -----	10.00	120.00
Riverside -----	20.00	240.00
Russell's Grove -----	70.00	840.00
Sandy Creek -----	15.00	180.00
Seagrove, First -----	10.00	120.00
Shady Grove -----	15.00	180.00
Sophia -----	10.00	120.00
Union Grove -----	60.00	720.00
Westfield -----	10.00	120.00
White's Memorial -----	15.00	180.00
Worthville -----	10.00	120.00
Total Suggested Goals for 1972 -----	\$1,474.00	\$17,688.00

## Record of Receipts

October 1, 1970 through September 30, 1971

Antioch	\$ 130.00
Armfield Heights	129.98
Asbury	120.00
Asheboro, First	2,400.00
Balfour	960.00
Beulah	305.00
Calvary	90.00
Caraway	100.00
Cedar Falls	136.00
Center Cross	75.00
Central Falls	169.00
Clear View	312.58
Cool Springs	20.00
Deep River	300.00
Fayetteville Street	- 0 -
Forest Park	147.75
Franklinville	720.00
Glenola	236.59
Gravel Hill	7.20
Greystone	350.00
High Rock	5.00
Hughes Grove	3.00
Huldah	120.00
Jackson Creek	60.00
Liberty, First	600.00
Macedonia	382.65
Maple Springs	180.00
Mt. Lebanon	240.00
Mt. Pleasant	300.00
Oakhurst	975.00
Oakwood Park	120.00
Panther Creek	60.00
Ramseur	840.00
Randleman, First	840.00
Red Cross	10.00
Richland	75.00
Riverside	120.00
Russell's Grove	843.05
Sandy Creek	150.00
Shady Grove	84.00
Union Grove	600.00
West Asheboro	30.00
Westfield	- 0 -
White's Memorial	15.00
Worthville	90.00
Seagrove	- 0 -
Sophia	- 0 -
Book Sales	63.75
Miscellaneous	30.43
State Convention	796.00
Sales Tax refund	77.59
Sunday School Board	52.98
Total Receipts	\$14,473.55

13. Hymn No. 20 — "O Worship the King" led by Mr. Larry Freeman, Mrs. Winslow at the organ.
14. Solo by Mr. Freeman: "My God and I."
15. Annual Sermon at this time by Rev. John Mangum. Scripture and prayer by W. E. Eaton.
16. Womans Missionary Union report was presented by Mrs. Carl King.

### W.M.U. Report

The following people served as Associational W.M.U. Officers from October 1970 to April 1971 (Mrs. Larry Moore resigned soon after being elected due to her health, leaving a vacancy through April).

W.M.U. Director	Mrs. Carl King
Assistant W.M.U. Director	Mrs. Calvin Brower
Secretary & Treasurer	Mrs. Ed Ford
Baptist Women Director	Mrs. T. G. Meachum
Baptist Young Women Director	Mrs. Larry Moore
Acteens Director	Mrs. J. W. Smith
Girls in Action Director	Mrs. Teeny Scarborough
Mission Friends Director	Mrs. Fred Graham
Pianist	Mrs. Lloyd Brown

Due to an Amendment to the By-Laws, approved April 26 at our Annual Meeting, the following officers began their term of office immediately upon election:

W.M.U. Director	Mrs. Bob Pratt
Assistant W.M.U. Director	Mrs. Calvin Brower
Secretary & Treasurer	Mrs. Harold Cross
Baptist Women Director	Mrs. T. G. Meachum
Baptist Young Women Director	Mrs. James Fisher
Acteens Director	Mrs. Gladys Canter
Mission Friends Director	Mrs. Fred Carlton
Pianist	Mrs. Lloyd Brown

In preparation for the new year, an Associational Leadership Conference was held September 27, 1970 at the First Baptist Church, Asheboro. Seventeen churches were represented with a total attendance of 75.

During the year, several churches not having W.M.U. were contacted in an effort to help them to become more aware of the needs of missions organizations.

Associational W.M.U. Council meetings were held quarterly.

In January, the Associational W.M.U. Council voted to set up a separate bank account for Associational W.M.U. needs — funds to be advanced from the allocation for W.M.U. from the Associational budget.

Several ladies from our association attended the State Annual W.M.U. Convention in Fayetteville, March 16-18.

"Share Your Faith" was the theme for the Annual Meeting April 26, 1971. Due to conflicting circumstances, the location was changed from the Glenola Church to the Balfour Church.

Moments of meditation were led by Mrs. Calvin Brower.

Two amendments were made to the By-Laws:

## 1. ARTICLE V, Section 1

- a. W.M.U. officers were changed to correspond with current terms.
- b. Terms of officers (of W.M.U. officers) shall begin at the close of the Annual Session at which they are elected.

## 2. ARTICLE IX, Sections 2 and 3 deleted.

Rev. R. T. Smith gave the challenge and led the prayer of dedication of the new officers.

The Baptist Men joined the group for the closing message. Dr. Howard J. Ford, Director of Missions, State Baptist Convention, brought a challenging message stressing the great need for "Missions in Action" *Where We Are*.

In closing, special music was presented by Miss Sherree Brooks and Miss Sheila Nelson. Mrs. Frances Moffitt was at the organ.

I want to take this opportunity to thank the members of W.M.U. in the churches of our Association for the privilege of serving as W.M.U. (President) Director. My term of office was approximately four and one-half years. Also to express my appreciation to all the members of the Associational W.M.U. Council, the Associational Council and Executive Board. To Rev. R. T. Smith and Mrs. Doris Craven for their patience and loving kindness, and their most valuable help and encouragement. The prayers and cooperation of everyone is deeply appreciated.

To Mrs. Bob Pratt, the new W.M.U. Director, and members of the newly elected W.M.U. Council, our prayers and cooperation go with you as you lead our Associational W.M.U. in the days ahead.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. Carl King

17. The Brotherhood report was presented by Mr. Earl Underwood. President:

### Brotherhood Report

Brotherhood is the unit in a Baptist Church that involves men in mission action designed to witness and minister to persons of special need, to support world missions through prayer and giving, and to provide leadership for special projects.

Some of the special projects that the men of Randolph Association took part in were the building of a four unit cottage at Camp CaRAway, raising funds for a swimming pool at Camp CaRAway, the New Start in Life project, the prison relief ministry, and to help operate the booth at the North Carolina State Fair.

Our Brotherhood Commission S.B.C. provides materials to maintain the Brotherhood program and the State Brotherhood Department helps to train leadership in the associations and churches. Leadership training was offered at Camp CaRAway on September 10-11 and Royal Ambassador Counselor Training on October 16. With the addition of the six, seven and eight year old boys we should have a larger enrollment to report this year.

The Brotherhood Leadership Training Retreat on September 10-11 at CaRAway offered special conferences for:

1. Prespective foreign mission study teachers



2. Associational Brotherhood officers
3. Church Baptist Men's officers
4. Royal Ambassador leadership.

With adequate material, trained leadership, and good planning, the local churches have a mission ministry equal to the needs among us.

Respectfully submitted,  
Earl H. Underwood

18. Rev. Albert Taylor presented the State Mission report.

### **State Missions Report**

The overall purpose of State Missions is to lead people to Jesus Christ and help develop the Church Ministry.

The responsibility of the State Mission Ministry is to promote a vigorous program of mission activity in North Carolina. This work is carried out in various departments within the division. Attention is called to some of these departments and their work.

The Church Development Department majors on reaching unchurched people by cooperating with the Churches and the Associations in surveys, research, counsel, and supervision. The main objective of the departments survey program is to discover the unchurched and to make available this information to the churches and the various departments of the Baptist Convention.

State Missions undergirds the work of Fruitland Bible Institute. The school plays a strategic role in carrying the Gospel into every community in North Carolina.

Through the Division of Missions, the Gospel invades the halls of silence preaching and teaching to the deaf. This work is done on television and many other centers. New opportunities are constantly opening. The Division cooperates closely with the Associations.

Much could be said about Pastoral Aid, Church Lot Fund, Church Loan Fund, Pastors Schools, and Schools of Missions, Institutional Ministries, Goodwill Centers, and General Missions Projects. The amazing thing is that so much is being done with such a small percentage of our gifts. Every North Carolina Baptist is challenged to pray for this phase of our ministry and to support the work and the workers with appropriate financial gifts through the Cooperative Program and also the Special Offerings for State Missions.

Respectfully submitted,  
Albert Taylor

19. The Home Mission report was presented by Rev. Harvey Rumfelt.

### **Home Missions Report**

In 1970, three new sections of the Home Missions staff were formed: Planning and Coordination, Program Implementation, and Program Services. A Personnel Division was created, composed of the Missionary Personnel Dept.; plus the offices of Personnel Development and Office Personnel Services.

At the close of 1970, there were 2,222 home missionaries which is thirteen less than 1969. This reduction was caused by the rising cost of living and a slowdown in giving. Of these missionaries, approxi-

mately two-thirds are supported jointly with state conventions and serve in the fifty states, Puerto Rico, and Panama.

A training plan was put into operation for lay evangelism, including materials, spiritual preparation, and training which prepares laymen in sharing their faith. Many key cities will have training in lay witnessing in 1971.

Southern Baptist ministers served as chaplains in the military, hospitals, institutions and industry. There were 617 on active duty with the military and 325 in other positions, in addition to 701 part-time chaplains. 11,086 professions of faith were reported and 850 units of work started, such as new worship services, Bible classes or Sunday Schools.

Church loans to the amount of \$3,926,871 were made for 126 churches. This part of the work was affected by high interest rates and tight money.

About 350 new churches and church-type missions were established.

Language missions includes 1,032 missionaries in forty-two states, District of Columbia, Cuba, Panama, and Puerto Rico. There was an increase in baptisms in Cuba in spite of the hardships there.

3,126 professions of faith were reported for the year.

There were 940 student summer missions personnel and they reported 6,645 professions of faith.

\$15,000 was made available for the sending of free Scriptures by the American Bible Society and some volunteer donations.

Two motion pictures were made available to the churches. *WHAT IS THE CHURCH?* and *THE CITY — WHERE THE ACTION IS*. These may be obtained from your Baptist Book Store.

The material in this report was obtained from the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Respectfully submitted,  
Harvey Rumfelt

20. The Foreign Missions report was presented at this time by Carl Zeigler.

### Foreign Missions Report

The appointment of 182 missionaries in 1970 brought the year to a close with 2,501 missionaries under assignment for service in 76 countries. There are also 176 emeritus missionaries. The 182 missionary appointments included 98 career missionaries, 18 missionary associates (2 had been appointed previously, but for reasons of health never served), 64 journeymen, and 2 for special projects; 6 of these were reappointments, and 6 had a prior record of service under one of the auxiliary program. The missionary total of 2,501 at the close of 1970 was a net gain of 1,120 over the total of 1,381 at January 1, 1960. There have been 4,589 missionaries appointed since the Foreign Mission Board was organized in 1845. A total of 344 missionary journeymen have been sent to the field since the program was begun in 1965.

Missionaries appointed in 1970 were assigned for the following types of work: General evangelism, English-language pastors, religious education promotion, music promotion, school chaplain, theology teachers, Woman's Missionary Union workers, conference

director, elementary teachers, college tutor, teacher for missionary children, student workers, youth workers, physicians, pharmacist, nurses, medical technicians, physiotherapist, agricultural evangelism, graphic arts coordination, recreation work, public relations worker, business managers, bookkeeper, librarian, secretary, and social workers.

Evangelistic crusades have been conducted in 1970 throughout the countries of Asia before and following meetings of the Baptist World Congress in Tokyo. The presence of many visitors from other parts of the world in Asia during 1970 was of significance. Evangelistic crusades were conducted in the countries of East and Central Africa, with the assistance of a number of speakers from the Southern Baptist Convention, including the chairman of the Executive Committee.

It is recognized that this decade is the major opportunity for further missionary advance. Studies indicate that major growth in the nation's population during this decade will be between the ages of 25 and 35, where a total increase of 11,000,000 in this age bracket is expected. This is the age when people are appointed for missionary service. Shortly after the close of this decade, the number of missionary retirements annually will greatly increase and will continue to rise for a number of years.

Financial reinforcement will be of major importance throughout the decade in order to sustain this growth. Approximately 50 percent of the Southern Baptist Convention Cooperative Program funds are made available annually for foreign missions. This is this basis where-upon sustained advance can be built. The Foreign Mission Board earnestly trusts this percentage of giving can be maintained throughout the years to come.

Respectfully submitted,  
Carl Zeigler

21. Hymn No. 455 — "We've A Story To Tell," led by Mr. Larry Freeman, with Mrs. Barbara Winslow at the organ.

22. Solo by Mr. Larry Freeman: "Lonely Road Up Calvary's Way."

23. Speaking to the Missions Reports was Dr. Fred B. Moseley, Assistant Secretary of Home Mission Board, of Atlanta. Dr. Moseley was introduced by R. L. Hughes.

24. Pastor of the host church, Rev. Raleigh Castelloe, advised the messengers that the food was ready and plenty of same.

#### ADJOURN FOR LUNCH

#### WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

25. Hymn No. 2 — "Love Devine, All Love Excelling," led by Mr. Larry Freeman, with Mrs. Barbara Winslow at the organ.

26. Scripture and prayer by Mr. Ronnie Alexander of Union Grove Baptist Church

27. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

MODERATOR: \_\_\_\_\_ Rev. R. L. Hughes

VICE MODERATOR: \_\_\_\_\_ Carl King

CLERK: \_\_\_\_\_ Fred Lane

TREASURER: \_\_\_\_\_ James Lane

28. Nominating Committee report was presented by Mr. Carl King. This report was approved as presented and will be found in the directory section of the minutes.

29. A Short talk by Mr. Mike Branson, student at Gardner-Webb College.

30. Rev. J. B. Gibson presented the Sunday School report at this time.

### **Sunday School Report**

In September, 1970 some three hundred individuals from the Baptist Churches in Randolph Association met in the Oakhurst Baptist Church. The occasion was Sunday School Action Night. Perhaps, this was the outstanding event of the year. The purpose of the meeting was to consider the new year, 1970-71 and to take a look at the resources to help in getting the job done. Excellent work was done in the conferences which were led by your associational officers.

Two other meetings with a Sunday School emphasis were held during the year. The first was in December and met in the Balfour Baptist Church and the other was held in the Central Falls Church in May. The spirit of these meetings was good and, from the reports from the various directors, it would appear that 1970-71 was a good year in Randolph Association.

Surely, the thing on most of the minds of our people was the change in organization and materials used. Perhaps, 1970-71 will be remembered as the year in which we broke out of the rut we had been in for so long. Hopefully, this has been true all over North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

People are hungering for a greater knowledge of the Bible and the light it can give them for their own particular problems and burdens. Let us give ourselves just as completely as we can to sharing God's word with those around us during the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,  
James B. Gibson

31. The Cooperative Program report was presented by Thurman Williams.

### **Cooperative Program Report**

"Committed to World Missions" is the Cooperative Program theme for the year 1971-72. It is our hope that this theme will be taken seriously by all of our churches. God has blessed Southern Baptists since the inauguration of the Cooperative Program. Surely our churches will give and/or increase their giving through this channel that blesses the world.

To help the churches of our Association grow in support of Cooperative Program work we recommend:

- A. That our churches keep in mind the inflationary trends of our economy and plan to increase their contributions to missions.
- B. That every church observe Cooperative Program Month, October each year.
- C. That every church observe Cooperative Program Day on the Third Sunday in April.



D. That contributions through the Cooperative Program be on a percentage basis rather than a fixed dollar figure. To implement a program of percentage increase to world missions through the Cooperative Program we suggest:

1. For churches giving under 20%, advance 2% each year up to 20%.
2. For churches giving 20% but under 30% level, advance 1% each year to 30%.
3. For churches reaching the 30% level, advance 1/2% each year until the objective set by the church is reached.

The Stewardship Commission, SBC, now offers to the churches three programs to help in the matter of planning, promoting and pledging church budgets. All the materials referred to here may be secured from SBC Stewardship Services, 127 Ninth Avenue, North; Nashville, Tennessee 37203. They are:

- A. The Southern Baptist Program of Christian Stewardship. The theme for this year is "Committed to Give . . . As God Has Given." A program designed for churches of any size.
- B. Stewardship Activity Guides, from which a church can build any type program it desires.
- C. Family Stewardship materials which are designed to teach sound money management principles to the Christian family by acknowledging the Lordship of Christ.

In addition to these materials, which have become standard items, graded materials have been produced to help our churches begin teaching the principles of stewardship development during the early years. "My Money Helps" and "Money and Me" are for children six through eleven. "Youth in Stewardship (called YIS) is a five session youth fellowship emphasis.

Of increasing importance to the churches in our association will be the stewardship chairman. Every church should receive a copy of *The Church Stewardship Chairman's Planning Guide*.

We recommend:

- A. That a stewardship chairman be elected in every church in our association.
- B. That we have a goal of 46 churches using stewardship development materials produced by the Stewardship Commission to plan, and promote their budgets.
- C. That we continue to emphasize the tithe as the minimum standard of giving and that we set a goal of 40% tithers in our association.

Respectfully submitted,  
Thurman Williams

32. Presentation of the Music Report was by Mr. Larry Freeman.

## Music Report

Of the many programs that can be found in the church today, music is rather unique. Many of the various other activities such as: the Bible teaching program, church training program, missionary activities, and others were started by lay movements outside the church. These programs were incorporated into the church. Music has always been within the church as a dynamic force in religion. Music gives meaning to worship.

Our music emphasis during the month of June was "The Scale of Christian Experience". An excellent choir made of church members of several churches in the Randolph Baptist Association made the program one of joy and inspiration.

Please do not hesitate to contact your music director with regard to your church's needs or problems in music. He will be glad to meet with your representatives anytime you may have need of his services.

Respectfully submitted,  
Larry W. Freeman

33. Mr. Otus Thomas made the presentation of the report on Christian Higher Education.

34. Speaking to the report on Christian Higher Education was Dr. John T. Bunn of Campbell College.

### Christian Education Report

The year of 1970 was a year of transition for the Education Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention. In June of 1970 a special self-study committee of the Education Commission made its final report. This two-year study resulted in a careful examination of all existing programs and the recommendation of new services and emphases for the Commission.

The self-study committee concluded that the basis for the continuation of our Baptist witness in higher education includes a determination on the part of the individual institutions to live within stated Christian purposes, the willingness of these institutions to serve the denomination in vital relationships and the willingness (even while limiting enrollments and expansion of facilities) to strive constantly for academic excellence.

In addition to the traditional services which our Baptist colleges render to our denomination and to our people, these institutions have given strong moral leadership in an age of moral decline. They have refused to bow to the popular dictum that a college has no responsibility for student conduct. They have refused to allow radical minorities, either in the student body or the faculty, to take over or disrupt the orderly process of instruction. While championing academic freedom and the right to peaceful assembly, Baptist colleges have not allowed the substitution of violence for the power of persuasion nor permitted anarchy in the guise of dissent or civil disobedience. To this extent they have served not only their denomination but they have served all of higher education in this country.

The Baptist Education Study Task identified as a major problem that of denominational relations and communications. How do the Baptist colleges in North Carolina rate in these areas? An editorial in the *Biblical Recorder* for June 19, 1971, entitled *Our Seven Baptist Colleges 'Not in the Doldrums'*, stated the following feelings of North Carolina Baptists. "On one Sunday a year — Father's Day — our seven Baptist colleges in North Carolina are given special emphasis and recognition in the local church. Admittedly, an offering is a big part of the day, but the observance goes beyond financial consideration. This day seeks to remind our Baptist people that these seven institutions are an important and vital part of Baptist life. Take a close look at the business and professional leadership in your area — doctors, lawyers, judges, teachers, businessmen, civic leaders and Christian homemakers.

If yours is a typical community, you'll find alumni of these seven schools taking prominent roles in all that goes on. These seven schools are under mature leadership. The administrations work closely with the Department of Christian Higher Education and the Council on Christian Education. Never did these institutions need Baptist assistance any more than they do today and never did their Baptist constituency need their graduates as much. It's a two-way street, with each needing the other."

Church-related colleges are the last live option for post-high school in a Christian atmosphere. At these colleges Christian codes of conduct are expected and these expectations are stated in writing.

Some of the highlights of the Program Report of the Education Commission are as follows:

Representing major program accomplishments for 1970 are: completed two-year long range self-study, worked with Southern Association of Colleges and Schools in resolving problems of accreditation related to Baptist policy, made careful study of the future needs of teacher recruitment and placement so that the recruiting of teachers outside Baptist colleges would no longer be necessary, and reestablished liaison with the Sunday School Board for promoting the Conventionwide annual emphasis on Baptist College, Seminary, and School Day.

Included as major goals for 1972 are: establishing better communication between Southern Baptist Convention personnel and the faculties on Baptist college campuses, working toward developing a program of adult education on Baptist college campuses, to encourage all Baptist colleges to develop a field work program which will give college students an opportunity to practice their church-related vocation while still in college, publication of an updated pamphlet which describes the services of the Baptist registry, and developing a new program of Christian Vocational Guidance Centers on Baptist college campuses for the purpose of assisting students to know themselves better and to identify those occupations for which they have the greatest talents.

During the past year state conventions and the Southern Baptist Convention gifts to Southern Baptist schools totaled \$21,722,922; donations, gifts, and grants amounted to \$15,047,553. The total assets of the schools reached an all-time high of \$723,601,269. The endowment funds increased by \$12,284,512, making the endowment total for the schools \$211,958,139.

The schools had a total enrollment for the year 108,606, with a total of 15,900 graduates. Volunteers for church-related vocations totaled 14,219 for the year.

Although the major emphasis in this report is pointed at Christian Higher Education, it is not intended that we should forget the basic Christian Education principles that are to be provided by the home and our local churches.

In spite of the fact that the home seems to be declining in its function as a center of family worship and Christian education, it is still tremendously effective in the development of idealism, moral and spiritual traits, and values in its members. The roles that young people take in religious matters develop largely out of their family and home-church experience. Many of our churches are striving to develop an educational program for all interest and age groups in the church. Activities are being developed which appeal to families as a family-group.

May we remember that each of us in one way or another has a role to play in the Christian education of all others. In our prayers, let us pray for God's help in leading us to use our talents and lives in the best way possible for the benefit of all people.

Respectfully submitted,  
Otus C. Thomas



35. Presentation of the Church Training Report was by Rev. Raleigh Castelleo.

36. Rev. Sam O'Neil, Secretary of Church Training for North Carolina, spoke to the report.

## Church Training Report

During the past year the Church Training Program has become more stable than it has been for several years. The sixties were filled with many changes that came so rapidly that many of our churches could not keep up. There were changes in literature, organization, and philosophy of training. Many of us have not caught up with these changes yet. Now it looks like we will be able to do so because this long period of rapid change in Church Training appears to be behind us for a while. We encourage all our churches to study the Church Training Program and use it to their best advantage.

On the Associational Church Training scene, the past year was generally a good one, but some areas of weakness came to our attention. The greatest weakness is that over half of our churches report no training. We think that many of these churches have training without an organized Training Program. In the new concept of Church Training this unorganized training is recognized as Church Training. We hope these churches will report their training to us.

Another thing we noticed was that the churches do not call on their Associational Church Training personnel for assistance. We think we can help you improve your training. Call on us.

During the past year the Associational Church Training Program sponsored several association-wide programs. On November 23, 1970, "M" Night was at First Baptist Church, Asheboro. Rev. L. D. Holt, pastor of Emmanuel Baptist Church, Raleigh, was the speaker. Attendance was very poor with only 67 people from 17 churches present. The most obvious reason for the poor attendance was the lack of promotion and publicity by the Associational Church Training Director. We pray that we learned from the experience.

On January 25, 1971, a Training Conference was conducted at Forest Park. There was a conference in Church Member Training conducted by Mr. Dan Page, Superintendent of Missions in the Flat River Association; a conference in New Member Orientation conducted by Mr. Maurice Cooper, Associate in the Church Training Department of the Baptist State Convention; and a conference in Church Leader Training conducted by Mr. Sam O'Neal, Secretary of Church Training of the Baptist State Convention. This was a very successful meeting. We had asked each church to send three people, and there was a total attendance of 62 from 15 churches.

On March 29, 1971, the Church Training Tournaments were held at First Baptist, Asheboro. The only tournament promoted during the past year was the Scripture Exploring Drill for children. We had sixteen children participating in the Scripture Exploring Drill. They were: Jeffrey Beane from Greystone, Rhonda Cagle, Joy Cole, Barbara Lowe, Kay Luther, Kim Luther, and Cheryl Young from Oakhurst; Freddie Graham, Kent Jackson, Maria Miller, Lynn Painter, Stephen Parker, Craig Richardson, Mike Teem, Cheryl Thurston, and Duke Thurston from Asheboro, First. Fifteen of the sixteen were declared winners. Fifty-three people from seven churches were present for the tournament.

On August 23, 1971, Associational Youth Night was held at Camp CaRAway. Super was served at 6:00 o'clock followed by a program at the Lakeside Chapel. Special Agent David Marshall of the State Bureau of Investigation spoke to the youth concerning the drug abuse situation in our immediate area. Following his presentation the motion picture, "The Youth Drug Scene" was shown. Mr. Marshall evaluated the movie as being the best objective film presentation of the drug problem which he had seen. There were 248 people at Youth Night. Most of them were Junior High and Senior High students.

We are looking forward to a good year in Church Training this year. On the Associational level we will have several opportunities to study and learn how to make our Church Training Programs more vital forces in our churches. We ask your prayerful support in this year.

Respectfully submitted,  
Raleigh Castelloe

37. Motion to adjourn — Closing prayer by Carl King.

## Thursday Morning Session

### Central Falls

October 21, 1971

38. Our Thursday morning session was called to order at 9:30 A. M. by our Moderator, Rev. Ralph Holcomb.

39. Hymn No. 120 — "Blessed Assurance," led by Mr. Carl King, with Mrs. Barbara Winslow at the piano.

40. Scripture and prayer was led by Rev. John Wheelles, pastor at Hughes Grove.

41. The Field Worker for the Association, Rev. R. T. Smith, gave his report at this time.

## Report of Field Workers

Days on field	337
Days away	28
Sermons preached	63
Other talks	4
Taught Sunday School	5
Conducted prayer meetings	19
Study courses taught	2
Conferences with individuals	1,173
Conferences with groups	134
Conferences with committees	14
State meetings attended	3
Churches visited in the association	30
Pieces of mail sent out	8,664
Miles traveled	21,822
Preached in revivals	1
Professions of faith	2
Additions to church	4

Respectfully submitted,  
R. T. Smith

42. Hymn No. 234 — "Beneath The Cross of Jesus," led by Mr. Carl King, with Mrs. Barbara Winslow at the piano.

43. Solo by Mr. Carl King — "The Wonder Of It All."

44. Scripture and prayer by Rev. Mahlor Furr. Doctrinal Sermon by Rev. F. A. Lunsford, Pastor of Union Grove.

#### "THE LORDSHIP OF CHRIST"

45. A report on Christian Literature was given by Mr. Carl King.

### Literature Report

In response to my obligation of giving the Christian Literature Report to the annual meeting of our association, I would like to give my own evaluation of our own Christian Literature.

First, I believe that our literature is the very best obtainable through our Baptist Book Store and through the Broadman Publishing Company and would urge each and everyone to especially give consideration to one or more of these publications:

*HOME LIFE* — The *HOME LIFE* magazine is one of the best publications for daily devotions and a good home news publication that gives some of the best stories and informational writings that can be found anywhere. I strongly urge the churches of our association to check with the members of their church and see how many families would like to have the *Home Life* magazine sent to their homes. Make a list of those who desire the *Home Life* and order it with your other literature.

*BIBLICAL RECORDER* — The *Biblical Recorder* is one of the best informational organs of any denominational group in our state. Marse Grant, our editor, is to be complimented highly on taking such strong and Christian stand on vital issues effecting North Carolinians. As most of you know, this magazine can be secured on a church budget plan for \$2.00 per year per copy.

*CHARITY AND CHILDREN* — This paper is a good publication but not as broad and newsworthy as some of our other publications, but is a good news outlet publication by our children from the N. C. Baptist Homes.

*THE COMMISSION* — *The Commission* is our foreign mission magazine and is very helpful to give us world vision and helps us become aware of what is happening on our foreign mission fields and to our foreign missionaries.

*HOME MISSION* — The *Home Mission* magazine is another important publication by our Home Mission Board and is a well edited and published magazine giving us a broad view and information from our Home Mission Board.

*SUNDAY SCHOOL LITERATURE* — Of course our Sunday School Literature is not only being used by our Southern Baptist people but by several other denominations as well and is considered to be the soundest and best prepared literature available for churches desiring good literature for their Sunday Schools.

We should consider ourselves very fortunate to have the above and many other sources of Christian literature and I highly recommend that

we try to keep abreast and aware of things that are happening in the world that we might be the very best informed Christians that we can possibly be, because I believe that within two or three decades we are going to need to be well informed spiritually or we may lose this great religious freedom that we have in this Randolph Baptist Association.

Respectfully submitted,  
Carl L. King

46. The Annuity Report was presented at this time by Carl Garner.

## Annuity Report

As prices of goods increased and the value of the dollar increased in 1970, a large number of Baptist pastors, church staff members, and denominational employees moved to provide greater protection in the years ahead for themselves and their families. Most of these persons did so by increasing their Southern Baptist Protection Program participation to at least ten per cent of total salary.

While members upgraded, the Annuity Board was introducing Good Experience Credit. This gives Protection Program members benefits over and above the amounts set forth in their certificates.

Increased benefits are made possible by interest earnings in excess of the Protection Program's initial actuarial assumptions. Since January 1, 1970, active members received Good Experience Credit in the form of increases in retirement credits accrued.

Retired persons also get Good Experience Credit. Persons receiving benefits other than education, variable or fixed period of getting four per cent more income each month.

Each retired person, or widow, also received a "13th Check" for 1970 amounting to 8.33 per cent of his annual benefit. It was the fifth consecutive year the "13th Check" had been given and amounted to \$424,594.

In its 53 year history, the Annuity Board has paid benefits amounting to \$82.1 million; \$8.4 million was paid in benefits during 1970.

The Randolph Association had 21 churches participating in the Protection Program with 26 members enrolled. *The Association* is also enrolled with one staff member.

## HIGHLIGHTS FOR 1970

	Present Enrollment	Net Gain from 1969
Members participating in Protection Plan A	24,526	1,307
Churches providing protection for pastors	20,669	2,588
Members enrolled in <i>Church</i> Group Insurance Plan	7,109	5,979
Members enrolled in <i>Agency</i> Group Insurance Plan	8,234	6,006
Relief Payments made during year — \$	162,507	
Total benefits paid during year — \$	8,404,306	

Respectfully submitted,  
Carl K. Garner



47. Presentation of the Children's Home Report was made by T. W. Nelson.

### **Baptist Children's Homes Report**

Let a graduating senior express what it is like to live in one of our Baptist Children's Homes: "I really do not know how to write about a place which has been so fine, and which has given me the opportunity to worship, work, and learn; not only where we stand in moments of comfort and convenience, but where we stand in moments of challenge and moments of controversy. After all these years, one finally learns that certain values and practices are good and sound and help children to feel secure and happy."

This statement could be made by almost any senior regarding his home and community, for a child in the care of the Baptist Children's Homes has basically the same attitudes and values as other children. He differs from other children only in the tragic experiences which have made it necessary for him to live away from his family. For these children, it is our mission to provide loving care in the spirit of Jesus Christ. We want to work in harmony with what we sense God is doing in the life of each child, enabling the child to tap his own inner resources and grow to responsible adulthood.

The pursuit of this basic goal has led the Children's Homes to develop a variety of services, all family centered. Some families need resident care for their children and for these we have group homes and foster homes. Some families can remain together with outside help and for these we have family services in the form of counseling or financial assistance. For the graduate in our care, we assist in higher education. For churches involved in day care, we provide a demonstration program and consultation service. We welcome individual inquiries regarding any of these services as the need may arise.

Staff members and children of the Baptist Children's Homes are grateful for the harmonious relationship we have shared with North Carolina Baptists. The churches have expressed their confidence and support through increased Cooperative Program gifts and a 1970 Thanksgiving Offering of \$380,000. Individuals continue to give generously and to become involved in our varied ministries. We accept this support as an investment in all that we are doing and we pledge ourselves to translate your investment into quality Christian child care.

Respectfully submitted,  
T. W. Nelson

48. Report on Evangelism by Rev. M. A. Pegram of Franklinville.

### **Evangelism Report**

The Associational Evangelism Conference was held on March 1st at the Oakhurst Church. The speaker for the Conference was the Reverend Fritz D. Hemphill of Boone, N. C. Attendance for the meeting exceeded that of the previous year.

Attention is called to two Statewide Evangelism meetings. The 26th Statewide Conference on Evangelism will be February 7-9, 1972 at the Cumberland County Memorial Auditorium in Fayetteville. The next Statewide Evangelism Night will be on Friday evening, August 18, 1972 at the Greensboro Coliseum.



Our State Office of Evangelism reports: "There is a tremendous interest in North Carolina and the entire Southern Baptist Convention in the new WIN materials on lay witnessing and the one week Lay Evangelism Schools. Over twenty-five Associations have already started specific planning toward a one week Lay Evangelism School in their area. The first Lay Evangelism School sponsored by the Division of Evangelism will be November 1-7 in the Mecklenburg Association. Other one week dates have already been confirmed in several Associations. Thousands of laymen and youth will respond if they are properly challenged and trained."

We should be extremely grateful to God for the interest of our youth in Evangelism as was evident during the Youth Evangelism Night this past February 2nd when almost 20,000 youth and adults overflowed the Greensboro Coliseum and War Memorial Auditorium. 1,519 decisions were made by these youth. It is reported that many of our youth in churches across our state are involved in witnessing for Christ in many ways.

Let us pray earnestly for the non-Christians in our Association, in North Carolina, our Nation and around the World. Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, let us dedicate ourselves to the task of leading many people to commit their lives to Jesus Christ.

A study is being made to determine the advisability of a Central Associational Revival in 1974. The Associational Evangelism Chairman would like to hear from each pastor and church in the Association. A report of the study will be made shortly to our Associational Executive Committee. Let us also give much prayer to this important matter.

Respectfully submitted,  
M. A. Pegram

49. The Baptist Hospital Report was presented by John Jackson.

## **Baptist Hospital Report**

Our Baptist Hospital admitted 17,557 person in 1970 totalling 150,174 days of care. 51,563 visits to the outpatient clinics included 17,241 to the Emergency Room. Of the above, 90% were referral patients, referred by local physicians because they needed specialized medical care our Hospital is staffed and equipped to provide.

We are pleased to know that the hospital's financial situation is now viewed with cautious optimism. The financial problems are not all solved but reports for the first three months of 1971 are encouraging. The Mother's Day Offering is not all in, but there is assurance that it will be the largest ever. Every dollar of this offering will go to provide free service and care to needy patients.

The Z. Smith Reynolds Foundation Tower will be ready for occupancy in late 1972. The new Coronary Care Unit is nearing completion and will be in use soon. The Medical Center Development Campaign is progressing good. Pledges by the Baptist Hospital Employees for this cause amount to \$177,182. This is wonderful evidence of faith in the hospital program, and a demonstration of love and commitment. Contributions are invited for memorial purposes. There is no more appropriate place to pay honor to a loved one, or to the memory of a friend. Pledges are invited. Family, community, or organization contributions may be combined for project or memorial purposes.

Brother W. Perry Crouch has described our hospital uniquely, as a referral center second to none and one with a definite Christian atmosphere. He also believes that the future of the hospital lies in her ability to offer superior medical service not available in local hospitals. We all believe that Baptist people of North Carolina will make every effort to see that this kind of hospital is supported. We should be modestly proud to be able to give that support to provide needed medical care to those who need the facilities of our great medical research center.

One out of every ten in North Carolina are admitted to hospitals each year. Many will require the very advanced and specialized care which our Baptist Hospital provides. Baptist Hospital offers a ministry of healing in Christ's Name to all who need it. It seeks to fulfill the same purpose in North Carolina that a Baptist Hospital operated by our Foreign Mission Board seeks to fulfill in Korea or Nigeria. It ought to be supported by missionary-minded Baptists with the same enthusiasm and for the same reason we support every other phase of our denomination's World Mission Program. This is missions too. As we visit and minister to the needy, sick, and suffering, we hear Jesus say, "Ye did it unto Me."

Respectfully submitted,  
John L. Jackson

50. The report on the Baptist Homes for Aging was given by Troy Jones.

51. Speaking to this report was Mr. William Poole, superintendent of the Homes.

### **Baptist Homes For The Aging Report**

Our North Carolina Baptist Homes for the Aging celebrated their 20th anniversary in March of this year. During these two decades, the story of our Homes has been one of faith and the abundant blessings of God upon this special ministry to older people. God has brought us from one Home, and one resident in 1951, to five Homes and a Nursing Care Unit, with total accommodations for 160 residents and 76 patients. Two of these Homes, Resthaven and the Hayes Home, and the Nursing Care Unit are located in Winston-Salem, and the other three Homes are located in Albemarle, Hamilton, and Yanceyville. In these homes, our residents are loved, and we feel that there is no greater security that they could have and no better care that they could receive.

The past year has been one of the best ever, and we are rejoicing in the blessings that have come from God through our Baptist people. Support for the Homes from the churches, through the Cooperative Program and the Special Day Offering, has been most encouraging. For the last three years, the Homes have had an alarming deficit and have operated in the red. We have not yet reached the point of operating in the black, but let us say, with hopeful optimism, that we are approaching this time. The deepened concern of our Baptist people and the increase in gifts have been strong contributing factors to the success of the past year.

At least 80% of the people who live in our Baptist Homes are financially needy persons and benefit directly from the love gifts of North Carolina Baptists. They simply could not be maintained, and the Homes could not be operated without the Special Offering, designated gifts from the churches, and the Cooperative Program. We would urge our Baptist people, therefore, to remember how dependent these dear old people are on them and would challenge them to give

more liberally than ever and to see that their gifts are a real-line in the on-going of this ministry.

Of unusual interest during the past year has been the construction of the new addition to the Nursing care Unit in Winston-Salem. It was anticipated that this new facility would be ready for occupancy by September 1. It will make available 20 additional beds and bring the total capacity of the Nursing Care Unit to 76. This addition was made possible by the generous challenge gift of \$80,000.00 from Judge and Mrs. William York of Greensboro. The trustees accepted the challenge and raised an additional \$80,000.00.

Let us pray for the Baptist Homes for the Aging and remember that any ministry to an older person in the name of Christ is a direct ministry to Him.

Respectfully submitted,  
Troy E. Jones

52. Mr. Brookshire of the Children's Home in Thomasville brought greeting and words of thanks from the home.

53. Speaking for the Baptist Hospital was Mr. Tom McGee.

54. Rev. Mangum, pastor of the host church, welcomed the messengers and gave instructions as to the meal.

55. Under New Churches, West Asheboro Baptist was taken under healthcare until our next annual meeting, but must present to Committee satisfactory documentation of Doctrinal beliefs.

57. Words of appreciation to the two host churches was given by Mrs. Carl King.

## Appreciation

We give Thanks to God for blessings untold, during the Year, and permitting us to assemble together for another associational meeting.

We express our appreciation to the Officers and Committees for the Service They have rendered on behalf of our Association. We are grateful also for all who have had a part in planning for this Session. For each one taking part on the program; those who led Special music, and each message of Challenge and inspiration.

To both Macedonia and Central Falls Churches, We express our sincere appreciation for the gracious hospitality they have extended to Us. For the Warm Welcome, The *Good Food*, and Wonderful Christian Fellowship.

Above all let Us be Thankful for the Guidance of the Holy Spirit both to us as Individuals and as an Association.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. Carl King, Chm.  
Mrs. Austol Youmans

58. The Place and Preachers report was given by Rev. Neathery.

## Committee on Place and Preacher

October 18, 19, 1972

Wednesday, October 18 — First Baptist Church, Randleman

Thursday, October 19 — Shady Grove Baptist Church

Annual Sermon: Rev. Troy Jones; Alternate: Rev. Harvey Rumfelt.

Doctrinal Sermon: Rev. B. G. Pratt; Alternate: Rev. Austol Youmans

Concerning the date of the meetings, it has been suggested that the constitution and by-laws be changed or amended so as to allow of the sessions to be held at night. Since this has to be acted on by the association, we are assuming at this time that no such change will be made in the schedule of the meetings as now provided in the associational constitution until after the 1972 meetings. If such change should occur, this committee will meet immediately to alter the dates accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,  
H. C. Neathery

59. Presentation of the report on Memorials at this time.

## Memorials

### Asbury

Mrs. Lillie Auman  
Mrs. Verna Cooper  
Mr. William E. Hunt

### Asheboro, First

Mrs. G. H. King  
Mr. Kenneth Dodson  
Mr. William E. Poole  
Mrs. Rena Hussey  
Dr. J. A. McIntosh  
Mr. Gordon B. Hall  
Mr. Jerry D. Clifton  
Mr. Fred Scarboro, Jr.  
Mrs. M. A. McAulay  
Mr. B. D. Tew  
Mr. Elsie R. Cagle

### Balfour

Mrs. E. A. McNeil  
Mr. Floyd McMasters

### Beulah

Mr. Oscar Caviness  
Mr. Lonnie Purvis

### Calvary

Mr. C. L. Williamson

### Central Falls

Mr. Frank Jarrell

### Cool Springs

Mrs. Percy Cox

### Deep River

Mr. Hubert Ferree, Deacon  
Mr. Willie Moffitt, Deacon  
Rev. Clyde Moffitt  
Mr. William T. Herrin

### Franklinville

Mrs. Henry Curtis  
Mr. Alton Burke  
Mrs. Sam Jones  
Mr. James Long  
Mrs. Clarence Parks  
Mr. Garrett Gatlin, Deacon

### Liberty, First

Roy A. Deaton, Deacon  
Mr. Jack Justice  
Mrs. Zura Wilson

### Macedonia

Mr. Boyce Wolfe  
Mr. Vance Breedlove, Deacon  
Mrs. Kizzie O'Briant  
Mrs. Sarah Clapp

### Maple Springs

Mrs. Elizabeth Boone

### Mt. Lebanon

Mrs. Crissie Strider

### Mt. Pleasant

Mr. Frank Bowman

**Oakhurst**

Mr. Alton Burkheart  
Mrs. Flora Harvell  
Mrs. Mary Redding  
Mr. Perry Arrington

**Panther Creek**

Mr. E. L. McKinney

**Ramseur, First**

Mr. D. E. Highfill  
Miss Mamie Caviness

**Randleman, First**

Mr. James Goley

**Riverside**

Mrs. Lura Owens

**Russell's Grove**

Dennis Chrisco

**Sandy Creek**

Mrs. Martha Williams Fields

**Shady Grove**

Mr. Clarence Williams

**Union Grove**

Mrs. Linda Freeman  
Mr. Clarence Reeder  
Miss Effie Dillon  
Mrs. Essie Jordan

**Westfield**

Mr. C. T. Hughes  
Mr. Beecher Kennedy

60. Hymn No. 161 — "Amazing Grace," led by Mr. Carl King with Mrs. Barbara Winslow at the piano.

61. Special Message at this time by Rev. John Woody, Past Moderator.

62. Motion to adjourn.

Closing prayer by Rev. R. L. Hughes



**TABLE A. CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION** YEAR ENDING: Sept. 30 1971  
(month & day)

State		City		State		Zip		PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		County		Year organized as a church		Services held twice on Sunday?		If no services held on Sunday				Total Baptisms		Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)		Present resident members		Present nonresident members		Grand total present members		No. members received from non-Baptist denominations		Baptist denominations		Value of pastor's home if owned by the church		Value of Church property incl. pastor's home		Total church debt at end of this assoc. year																					
Randolph		North Carolina		Asheboro		N. C.		27203		Randolph		1958		6		X		1st Sunday				2nd Sunday				3rd Sunday				4th Sunday				5th Sunday				11		12		4		47		40		87		0		0		23,000		5,342			
Antioch		Fred Lane		Asheboro		N. C.		27203		Randolph		1964		7		X																						2		0		53		114		114		0		0		88,000		0					
Armfield Heights		B.L. Maness, Rt. 2, Seagrove		Asheboro		N. C.		27341		Montgomery		1926																										13		30		39		892		292		1184		3		12		0		750,000		55,000	
Asbury		J.B. Gibson, P.O. Box 785, Ashboro		Asheboro		N. C.		27203		Randolph		1902		5		X																						6		1		14		486		73		526		2		6		15,000		180,000		0	
Asheboro, First		T.W. Nelson, 1702 N. Fayetteville, Ashboro		Asheboro		N. C.		27203		Randolph		1931		7		X																						29		16		50		462		50		512		0		0		50,000		350,000		0	
Balfour		Curtis Barbary, Rt. 2, Bennett		Asheboro		N. C.		27208		Randolph		1902		1		X																						0		1		5		57		17		75		1		0		30,000		0			
Beulah		Troy E. Jones, Rt. 1, Sophia		Asheboro		N. C.		27350		Randolph		1888		1		X																						0		0		2		60		59		118		0		1		12,000		36,000		0	
Calvary		H.C. Neathery, Box 215, Cedar Falls		Asheboro		N. C.		27230		Randolph		1844		2		X																						9		0		3		112		21		133		0		0		9,000		20,000		0	
Caraway		Robert Hunsucker, 912 Breezehill Rd.		Asheboro		N. C.		27222		Randolph		1893		1		X																						0		3		5		62		48		110		1		0		16,000		0			
Cedar Falls		J.C. Mangum, P.O. Box 306, Central Falls		Asheboro		N. C.		27203		Randolph		1893		1		X																						7		13		4		262		80		342		0		20,000		118,000		0			
Center Falls		Fred Carlton, Rt. 1, Franklinville		Asheboro		N. C.		27248		Randolph		1957		1		X																						4		5		4		82		31		113		0		4		18,000		32,000		0	
Clear View		Walter Jones, P.O. Box 473, Asheboro		Asheboro		N. C.		27203		Randolph		1938		1		X																						7		2		3		130		68		198		0		0		16,000		28,000		0	
Cool Springs		Albert Taylor, P.O. Box 11, Coleridge		Asheboro		N. C.		27234		Randolph		1894		1		X		X				X				X				X				X				6		3		4		229		64		293		3		1		0		60,000		0	
Deep River		M.A. Pegram, P.O. Box 111, Franklinville		Asheboro		N. C.		27248		Randolph		1964		3		X																						6		3		9		125		28		153		0		3		10,900		45,900		14,834	
Forest Park		Ralph Holcomb, Rt. 3, High Point		Asheboro		N. C.		27263		Randolph		1887		3		X																						1		3		9		179		161		340		0		30,000		100,000		0			
Franklinville		Mahlon Furr, Rt. 3, Denton		Asheboro		N. C.		27239		Randolph		1914		2		X																						5		7		2		173		144		317		1		2		20,000		175,000		29,254	
Glenola		Andrew Grose, 805 Greystone, Kannapolis		Asheboro		N. C.		28081		Randolph		1901		1		X																						13		4		4		140		23		163		0		1		7,000		22,000		0	
Gravel Hill		R.S. Spry, 803 Wright, Kannapolis		Asheboro		N. C.		27203		Randolph		1951		6		X																						1		8		9		134		20		154		0		25,000		180,000		32,000			
Greystone		J.W. Wheelles, Rt. 2, Thomasville		Asheboro		N. C.		27360		Randolph		1932		1		X																						22		20		2		200		1		21,000		141,000		60,000							
High Rock		Steve Welborn, Rt. 4, Asheboro		Asheboro		N. C.		27203		Randolph		1896		1		X		X				X				X				X				X				12		8		1		184		35		219		0		25,000		75,000		10,500			
Hughes Grove		Tommy Walls, Rt. 9, Box 217, Lexington		Asheboro		N. C.		27292		Randolph		1954		1		X		X				X				X				X				X				0		2		0		20		25		45		2		0		12,000		0			



TABLE A. CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION										YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30 (Month & Day)		1971																		
CHURCHES	City	State	Zip	N. C.	27203	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)										County	Year organized as a church	If no. services held on												Total church debt at end of this association year
						Pastors & Addresses (Include Zip Code)																								
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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18													
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18													
Maple Springs	Darrell Cox, P.O. Box 118, Seagrave 27341	Randolph	1888	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X												
Mt. Lebanon	D.C. Sullivan, Rt. 1, Denton 27239	Randolph	1890	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X												
Mt. Pleasant	W.A. Gillett, Route 1, Liberty 27298	Randolph	1872	1	X																									
Oakhurst	R.L. Hughes, 2311 S. Fayetteville, Asheboro 27203	Randolph	1945	7	X																									
Oakwood Park	Carl Zeigler, Rt. 7, Box 222, Asheboro 27203	Randolph	1952	7	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X												
Panther Creek	John Beane, Rt. 4, Asheboro 27203	Randolph	1942	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X												
Ramseur, First	Justus McKeel, Box 255, Ramseur 27316	Randolph	1850	3	X																									
Randleman, First	B.G. Pratt, 201 Forrest Dr., Randleman 27317	Randolph	1879	4	X																									
Red Cross	W.F. Hackett, Rt. 2, Climax 27233	Randolph	1949	1	X																									
Richland	B.W. McPherson, 306 Cherokee, Asheboro 27203	Randolph	1951	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X												
Riverside	W.E. Eaton, Route 5, Asheboro 27203	Randolph	1910	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X												
Russell's Grove		Randolph	1935	2	X																									
Sandy Creek	Carl Garner, Route 1, Liberty 27298	Randolph	1905	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X												
Seagrave, First	Ronnie Kiser, Rt. 4, Box 312, Asheboro 27203	Randolph	1966	3	X																									
Shady Grove	C.W. Pierce, Rt. 1, Staley 27355	Randolph	1755	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X												
Sophia	Bill Barnes	Randolph	1959	3	X																									
Union Grove	F.A. Lunsford, Rt. 1, Box 59, Seagrave 27341	Randolph	1885	1	X																									
Westfield	George McDaniels, 605 Hickory Lane, High Point 27601	Randolph	1916	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X												
White's Memorial	Thomas Hill, Route 2, Ramseur 27316	Randolph	1908	1	X																									
Worthville		Randolph	1966	3	X																									

TABLE B. THE SUNDAY SCHOOL		YEAR ENDING SEPT. 30 1971		(Month & Day)		44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
Association	State	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		Preschool enrollment (5 years and under—not in school)	Children enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6) in school)	Youth enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Young Adult enrollment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	Senior Adult enrollment (30 and over or retirement to 35 years)	Adults Away enrollment (36 years or over or retirement to 35 years)	Homebound Units enrollment	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of missions(s) of church	Total ongoing enrollment	Average weekly Sunday School attendance	Number of Fellowship Bible classes	Fellowship Bible class enrollment	Kindergarten and day care enrollment	Bible conference projects enrollment	Weekday Bible study enrollment	Church V. B. S. enrollment	Mission V. B. S. enrollment	Total V. B. S. enrollment
		City	State																			
		Zip																				
		27350																				
		N. C.																				
		Route 1																				
CHURCHES		SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)																				
Randolph North Carolina Associational Sunday School Director Troy E. Jones	Antioch	Marvin Brim	Route 4, Asheboro 27203	11	12	33	27	21	-	-	-	-	14	1	104	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Armfield Heights	Keith Hayes	Route 3, Box 160, Asheboro 27203	15	18	21	23	23	-	-	-	-	2	-	102	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Ashbury	Edward Hogan	Route 2, Seagrave 27341	9	37	52	25	53	35	-	-	-	-	-	211	178	-	-	-	-	151	151
	Asheboro, First	James G. Fisher	Route 4, Inwood Road, Asheboro 27203	123	157	164	141	216	141	-	25	15	-	982	467	1	8	-	-	-	200	200
	Balfour	Roger Pritchard	594 Vance Street, Asheboro 27203	33	68	64	56	108	29	6	6	5	-	375	203	-	-	-	-	-	123	123
	Beulah	Lester Myrick	Route 2, Bennett 27208	75	87	62	80	104	64	-	-	3	-	475	427	-	-	-	-	-	256	256
	Calvary	Bobby Poole	Route 4, Box 37, Asheboro 27203	7	9	5	7	13	4	-	-	-	-	-	45	41	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Caraway	Boonie Lane	Route 1, Sophia 27350	3	14	22	29	15	25	-	-	2	-	97	55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cedar Falls	Clyde Honeycutt	Cedar Falls 27230	12	14	13	5	19	-	-	-	2	-	94	63	-	-	-	-	67	67	67
	Center Cross	Billy Sellers	Route 5, Asheboro 27203	4	9	17	33	31	-	-	-	-	-	94	69	-	-	-	-	-	105	105
	Central Falls	W. T. Ingold	Route 5, Box 374-C, Asheboro 27203	15	48	16	68	40	5	-	-	7	-	199	132	-	-	-	-	-	93	93
	Clear View	Jimmy McNeil	411 West Ridge St., Ramseur 27316	10	16	21	13	31	-	-	-	3	-	94	75	-	-	-	-	-	72	72
	Cool Springs	Kenneth Pugh	Route 5, Greensboro 27400	22	23	24	29	26	-	-	-	-	-	124	92	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Deep River	Edsel Moffitt	Route 1, Ramseur 27316	29	33	25	49	91	42	3	-	3	-	257	177	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Forest Park	Carl King	117 Oak Lane, Randleman 27317	21	39	21	30	30	11	-	-	-	3	-	155	89	-	-	-	-	80	80
	Franklinville	Mack Davis	P.O. Box 126, Franklinville 27248	14	31	23	20	61	30	-	20	4	-	203	109	-	-	-	-	-	60	60
	Glenola	Robert Skeen	Route 3, High Point 27263	25	35	27	29	76	28	7	-	5	-	232	169	-	-	-	-	-	90	90
	Gravel Hill	Claudia Harrison	Route 1, Denton 27239	13	14	32	16	23	36	-	-	5	-	139	89	-	-	-	-	-	60	60
	Greystone	Benny Hampton	Route 7, Box 216-A, Asheboro 27203	20	14	15	12	62	3	4	-	3	-	133	70	-	-	-	-	-	34	34
High Rock	Bruce Taylor	Route 7, Box 216-A, Asheboro 27203	11	12	14	26	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	94	75	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Hughes Grove	Thomasville	27360	27	47	38	13	35	-	-	-	-	13	-	211	161	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Huldah	Truman Pritchard	Route 4, Asheboro 27203	17	35	23	52	45	-	-	-	-	3	-	175	127	-	-	-	-	87	87	
Jackson Creek	Willis Hughes	Route 1, Trinity 27370	4	7	12	18	10	-	-	-	-	3	-	54	40	-	-	-	-	10	70	70











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TABLE F BROTHERHOOD		YEAR ENDING SEPT. 30, 1971		Enrollment (Month & Day)									
Association	State	Address	City	State	Zip	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101
Randolph		North Carolina											
Associational Brotherhood Director		Carl Zeigler											
Route 7, Box 222		Asheboro											
CHURCHES		BROTHERHOOD DIRECTIONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)											
Asbury		J.R. Hancock				-	9	-	9	-	-	-	18
Balfour		Neal Cockerham				9	5	-	14	-	1	-	29
Central Falls		Joe Brantley				7	15	-	10	-	1	-	32
Forest Park		Wade Snider				9	-	-	5	-	1	-	15
Franklinville		317 Pineview Ave.,				7	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Glenola		Abbie Smith				-	-	2	9	3	3	-	17
Greystone		Joe Anderson				-	-	-	15	-	-	-	15
Hughes Grove		Wayne Taylor				-	-	-	16	-	-	-	16
Liberty, First		Long Street, Thomasville				6	7	3	40	-	-	-	56
Macedonia		Jim Parker				-	-	-	13	-	1	-	13
		Liberty 27298				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Claude Carter				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Route 3, Box 2, Liberty 27298				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mt. Lebanon		Jim Adkins				-	8	-	-	-	-	-	8
Mt. Pleasant		Robert Wiley				7	-	-	30	-	1	-	37
Oakhurst		362 Hawthorne Drive, Asheboro				12	6	-	-	-	6	-	24
Ramseur, First						7	7	-	-	-	-	-	14
Randleman, First		D.B. Hilliard St.				16	5	-	15	-	4	-	40
Russell's Grove		Route 3, Box 314, Randleman 27317				11	5	-	-	-	5	-	21
Sophia		Bobby Needham				6	11	-	-	-	-	-	17
Union Grove		Clinton McNeill				10	6	-	25	-	5	-	46
Westfield		Gov Loftin				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Route 3, Thomasville 27360				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-





TABLE C - TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP										YEAR ENDING Sept. 30 1971	
										(Month & Day)	
State Association											
Randolph											
State											
North Carolina											
Associational Treasurer											
James R. Lane											
Address											
913 Shamrock Road Asheville N. C. 27203											
CHURCHES											
TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)											
City State Zip											
Asheboro N. C. 27203											
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Budget from, or emphasis used during this year.											
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TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES 1971 YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30 1971									
Association		1971		YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30 1971		(Month & Day)		CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS	
State		1971		1971		1971		1971	
Address		City		State		Zip		CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	
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North Carolina		R. T. Smith		N. C.		27203		CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	
251 South Elm Street		Asheboro		N. C.		27203		CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	
Antioch		Lillie M. Craven		Route 4, Box 201, Asheboro 27203		3,970		Total church sponsored mission expenditures	
Armfield Heights		Tom Johnson,		Route 4, Box 27, Asheboro 27203		1,300		All other church sponsored mission expenditures	
Asbury		James I. King		378 Legend Drive, Asheboro 27203		-		Money paid out on new construction during the year	
Asheboro, First		Doris C. Craven		1508 Brookdale Dr., Asheboro 27203		-		CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS	
Balfour		Lewis Pritchard		Route 1, Asheboro 27203		-		111	
Beulah		Mrs. Betty L. Maness		Route 2, Box 49-A, Bennett 27208		-		112	
Calvary		Mrs. Gail Smith		Route 1, Box 36-A., Asheboro 27203		-		113	
Caraway		Joyce King		Box 4301, Archdale Branch, High Point 27263		-		114	
Cedar Falls		Mrs. E. C. Callicott		Route 1, Franklinville 27248		-		115	
Center Cross		Mrs. Brenda Strider		Route 5, Asheboro 27203		-		116	
Central Falls		Mrs. Claude Poole		P.O. Box 274, Central Falls 27232		-		117	
Clear View		Mrs. Audrey Nance		Route 1, Box 205, Franklinville 27248		-		118	
Cool Springs		Lydia Craven		Route 1, Franklinville 27248		-		119	
Deep River		Mrs. Robert Trogdon		Route 1, Ramseur 27316		-		120	
Forest Park		Mrs. Howard Saunders		P.O. Box 136, Franklinville 27248		-		121	
Franklinville		Mrs. Muriel Gray		Route 2, Trinity 27370		-		122	
Glenola		Mrs. Annie Pearce		Route 3, Denton 27239		-		123	
Gravel Hill		Sam Fretwell		Route 4, Asheboro 27203		-		124	
Greystone		Mrs. Eutha McPherson		Route 4, Asheboro 27203		-		125	
High Rock		Mrs. Linda Thomas		Kennedy Road, Thomasville 27360		-		126	
Hughes Grove		Mrs. Donnie Edwards		Route 4, Asheboro 27203		-		127	
HulDAH		Mrs. Paul Cody		Route 4, Asheboro 27203		-		128	
Jackson Creek		Mrs. Paul Cody		Route 4, Asheboro 27203		-		129	
		Mrs. Paul Cody		Route 4, Asheboro 27203		-		130	











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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Randleman, N. C.

October 18

SHADY GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH, Rt. 1, Staley, N. C.

October 19

Music Under The Direction of

Ronald Jackson



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Shady Grove Baptist, Second Day

October 18 - 19

Next Session

October 23, 24, 1973

Tuesday, October 23 — Glenola Baptist

Wednesday, October 24 — Liberty First

Annual Sermon: William A. Gillette; Alternate: Bill Barnes

Doctrinal Sermon: Albert Taylor; Alternate: W. E. Eaton

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## ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

Moderator ..... M. A. Pegram      Clerk ..... Fred Lane  
Vice Moderator ..... Carl King      Treasurer ..... James R. Lane

### Associational Officers

Brotherhood Director ..... Jimmy Edwards

Music Director

Trustees: H. Wade Yates, Chairman  
W. Sumner Farlow  
Wiley Jones

Chairman of Evangelism ..... William A. Gillett

Hospital Representative ..... John Jackson

Children's Home Representative ..... T. W. Nelson

Baptist Homes for Aging Representative ..... M. A. Pegram

Literature Chairman ..... Hansel Neathery

Temperance and Morals ..... Neal Cockerham

Annuity Board Representative ..... Carl King

Church Training Director ..... Justus McKeel

Church Member Training ..... Charles Beane

Church Leader Training ..... Joe Anderson

New Member Orientation ..... J. B. Gibson

Cooperative Program Representative ..... Austol Youmans

### Sunday School Officers

Sunday School Director ..... B. G. Pratt

Division Directors:

Pre-School Director ..... Mrs. W. T. Denson

Children's Director ..... Otus Thomas

Youth Director ..... John Samuel

Adult Director ..... Benny Hampton

Vacation Bible School Director ..... Troy E. Jones

## Committees

### Committee on Ordination

Troy E. Jones, Chairman  
W. E. Eaton  
Bennie Maness  
J. B. Gibson  
H. C. Neathery

### Committee on Constitution

Wade Yates, Chairman  
A. B. York, Jr.  
Otus Thomas

### Committee on Nominations

Carl King, Chairman  
J. C. Allred, Jr.  
Andrew P. Grose  
Albert Taylor  
Justus McKeel

### Committee on Missions

John Mangum, Chairman  
Francis Lunsford  
Bill Barnes  
T. W. Nelson

### Committee on Memorials

John Jackson, Chairman  
Mrs. W. D. Wood

### Committee on Organization of New Churches

Carl Zeigler, Chairman  
R. N. Hunsucker  
B. W. McPherson

### Committee on Order of Business

William A. Gillett, Chairman  
J. Willard Singletary  
R. L. Hughes  
Darrell Cox  
B. G. Pratt

### Committee on Appreciation

Mrs. R. C. Caudle  
Mrs. Calvin Brower

### House and Grounds Committee

Marvin Caviness, Chairman  
Fletcher Skeen  
Mrs. J. B. Gibson

### Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher

Andrew P. Grose, Chairman  
M. A. Pegram  
Jimmy Edwards

### Committee on Budget and Finance

Earl Underwood, Chairman  
James Lane  
Austol Youmans  
D. B. Hilliard, Sr.  
Ralph Holcomb

### Resolutions Committee

Recommend that this committee  
be discontinued

## CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

### ARTICLE I — NAME AND OBJECT

Section 1. The name of the organization shall be the Randolph Baptist Association.

Section 2. The purpose of this organization shall be:

- a. The promotion of harmony, fellowship and cooperation among the churches of the Association.
- b. The propagation of the Gospel within the territory of the Association and to the uttermost part of the earth.
- c. The promotion of the missionary, education and benevolent causes of Christ within the Association and in cooperation with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

### ARTICLE II — MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. The membership of the Association shall consist of messengers of Baptist churches regularly affiliated with the Association. All churches desiring affiliation with the Association shall present to the Committee on Reception of New Churches proper petitions, accompanied by satisfactory evidences of doctrinal regularity and general acceptability. After one year under the watchcare of the Association the said Committee will report to the Association its recommendation. Upon a favorable vote of two-thirds majority of the messengers present at the annual associational meeting the petitioning church may become regularly affiliated with the Association.

Section 2. (A) Fellowship may be withdrawn by the Association at any annual meeting, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee, from any church in its membership that has been found, by due investigation, to have departed from the Missionary Baptist faith and practices, or has failed to abide by the provision of this Constitution and By-Laws.

(B) Such a church may, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee and vote of the Association, be placed on probation until the conditions prompting such action have been corrected. Messengers from any church on probation shall not be allowed to vote in the meetings of the Association.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of each church to furnish to the Association each year a letter, on the form provided by the Clerk, giving full information and statistics provided for on the form, and to send with the letter or by messenger a contribution toward the cost of printing the minutes and other expenses of the Association.

Section 4. It is understood that each church in this Association is independent and sovereign in its own affairs, and the Association has no authority over the churches, except of an advisory nature.

Section 5. A church may withdraw from membership in the Association by a vote of the church according to its own by-laws, regulations or procedure.

### ARTICLE III — MEETINGS

Section 1. The Association shall meet annually on two days during the week following the Third Sunday in October.

Section 2. The annual meeting shall be composed of messengers

chosen by the respective churches of the Association from their membership. *Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members, or fraction thereof, above one hundred it has enrolled, but not to exceed ten such messengers.* All pastors in the Association and the Field Worker are messengers in all the Associational Meetings, each having but one vote.

Section 3. The Association may hold a Mid-Term meeting each spring at such time and place as may be determined by the Association or its Executive Committee. The purpose of the Mid-Term meeting shall be that of information and inspiration without the transaction of business, except that urgent matters of business which cannot well be delayed until a later meeting may be considered and acted upon.

Section 4. Other meetings of the Association may be held when called by the Executive Committee.

#### ARTICLE IV — OFFICERS

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, and three Trustees.

Section 2. These officers shall be elected on the first day of the regular annual session. The prior approval and consent to serve, if elected, shall have been secured from a prospective nominee prior to placing his name in nomination for any one of the several associational elective offices. They shall take office at the close of the Annual Session and serve through the next Annual Session. Any officer may be re-elected with the exception of the Moderator, who shall not serve more than two years in succession.

Section 3. Duties of the Officers:

- a. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the Association and discharge such duties as are incumbent on the presiding officer of a deliberative body.
- b. The Vice-Moderator shall perform the duties of the Moderator in the absence of or at the request of the Moderator.
- c. The Clerk shall record and preserve the proceeding of the Association, together with the reports and statistics, and have the same printed and distributed. The Treasurer shall preserve all money paid into the treasury, pay the same to the order of the Association, and make a full and complete report of all receipts and disbursements at the Annual Meeting.
- d. The duties of the Trustees shall be to transfer or hold title to any properties for the Association. All transactions of said Trustees shall be authorized by the Association or its Executive Committee.

Section 4. The Association endorses the continued operation of organizations among the churches of the Association for the promotion of the various phases of their work including the Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, Baptist Brotherhood and Woman's Missionary Union. The officers of the Associational Sunday School, Associational Baptist Training Union, and the Associational Baptist Brotherhood shall be nominated by their Nominating Committee and the Nominating Committee of the Association, and approved and elected by the Executive Committee of the Association, and shall serve from October 1 to September 30. The Woman's Missionary Union shall be recognized as an auxiliary organization of the Association.

## ARTICLE V — EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Section 1. The Association shall have an Executive Committee comprised of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Trustees of the Association, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Associational Baptist Brotherhood Director, Associational Woman's Missionary Union Director, the Associational Field Worker, all pastors, all church educational directors, and one member of each church in the Association desiring representation on the Committee.

### Section 2.

- a. The Executive Committee shall hold meetings once each quarter during the second month of the quarter, the date to be set by the Board itself, and at such other times as may be required at the call of the Moderator, or at the call of not less than five members of the Executive Committee.
- b. Twenty members of the Executive Committee shall be required to be present to constitute a quorum.
- c. To act for and on behalf of the Association between sessions.
- d. To carry out the orders and resolutions of the Association pertaining to it.
- e. To superintend the Associational Mission work, employ a missionary and determine the salary to be paid.
- f. To *fill* vacancies which may occur during the year in the personnel of the Associational officers or workers for the remainder of such unexpired term.
- g. To investigate any report of complaint that may be brought to its attention about irregularity of doctrine, practice, or conduct on the part of any individual or group in the Association and report its finding with such recommendations as it considers advisable, to the Association in a regular meeting.
- h. To make such recommendations as it may deem wise for the strengthening and upbuilding of the churches and the work of the Association.
- i. The Executive Committee shall not involve the Association in debt to exceed one hundred dollars for necessary operating expenses of the Association.
- j. To appoint and elect the officers for the Associational organizations of the Sunday School, Church Training, and Baptist Brotherhood.

## ARTICLE VI — ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

### Section 1:

- a. The Associational Council shall be composed of the following Associational officers: Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Associational Woman's Missionary Union Director, Associational Brotherhood Director, Associational Music Director, Chairman of the Evangelism Committee, Chairman of the Budget Committee, Chairman of the Missions Committee, the Field Worker, and others deemed necessary by the Moderator to carry on the work of the Association.



- b. The Moderator shall serve as Chairman of the Council, the Vice-Moderator as vice chairman, and the clerk as secretary.

#### Section 2:

- a. The Associational Council shall hold meetings once each quarter and at such other times as deemed necessary by the Chairman or at the call of not less than 5 members of the Council.
- b. Seven members of the Council shall be present to constitute a quorum.
- c. The duties of the Associational Council shall be:
  - (1) To plan the general work of the Association.
  - (2) To assign responsibility of the implementation of proposed plans.
  - (3) To receive and help correlate into a general associational program the proposed plans of the individual organizations.
- d. The Council shall give a quarterly report to the Associational Executive Committee along with any recommendations it may have.

### ARTICLE VII — COMMITTEES

Section 1. The Moderator shall appoint a Committee on Committees some weeks before the annual meeting of the Association. This Committee shall prepare its report and shall be given the opportunity to submit its report early on the program of the first day of the annual session. The Committee shall name the following committees to report during the annual session: Committee on Memorials, Committee on Appreciation, and such other committees as may be requested by the Association or Moderator. The Committee on Committees shall also name the following standing committees: Committee on Ordination, Committee on Reception of new churches, Committee on Time, Place and Preacher, Nominating Committee, Committee on Order of Business, Constitution and By-Laws Committee, Budget and Finance Committee, Missions Committee, and such other committees as may be requested by the Association or by the Moderator.

#### Section 2. Duties of the Committees:

- a. The Committee on Time, Place and Preacher will receive all invitations of the churches which desire the Association to meet with them the next year and will recommend to the Association the time and place to meet the following year, without regard to the order in which the invitations may have been received. This Committee will also recommend a preacher and an alternate for the annual sermon and the doctrinal sermon next session.
- b. The Committee on Memorials will prepare a list of those members of the churches who have died during the year and present suitable memorial resolutions for adoption by the Association.
- c. The Committee on Appreciation will prepare and present appropriate resolutions of appreciation.
- d. The Committee on Order of Business will prepare well in advance a suggested order of business for the annual meeting. The committee will notify those who are to make

reports or have part on the program. This suggested order of business will then be presented to the Association at its regular meeting.

- e. The Nominating Committee shall nominate a complete slate of officers for the next year, excepting the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer.
- f. Guiding Principles for the Work of the Missions Committee of the Randolph Association.
  1. The Committee is to seek to discover areas where new work is needed and to lead in the sponsorship or establishment of new work to meet present need or the securing of property by a local church and/or the Association in the anticipation of future need.
  2. All new work does not necessarily need to be nor should be intended to become an organized or constituted church. New work may be started and maintained on the basis of a mission to meet particular need (this provides for institutional missions such as jails, prisons, rest homes, etc.)
  3. The location of missions or new churches shall be determined by the need revealed in an adequate survey conducted by the Missions Committee and local interested groups or churches.
  4. Any church, committee, group or individuals considering beginning new work, acting with or without church sponsorship, should approach the Missions Committee for guidance before having any service or choosing a temporary or permanent location.
  5. The Missions Committee shall institute basic, understandable operational procedures and practices for a mission that leads in establishing and strongly urges that each church establishing a mission does the same. The guidance of missions by the Missions Committee shall continue until a co-operating church or churches can be led to accept the responsibility of sponsorship.
  6. A mission organized or assisted by the Missions Committee shall accept the recognized principles and practices of a church co-operating with the Randolph Association, the Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

## ARTICLE VIII — ORDINATION AND CALLING OF PASTORS

Section 1. Inasmuch as the ordination of a man to the gospel ministry by any church in this Association is expected to be recognized by the denomination as a whole, the churches are counseled to be extremely careful in the matter of setting men apart for this sacred calling, ordaining only those who, by irreproachable character, piety of life, doctrinal soundness and suitable talents, give promise of honoring the name of Christ and of rendering acceptable service in the missionary Baptist ministry.

Section 2. To aid the churches in this vital matter, the Association will appoint each year a committee of five of the pastors to be called the Committee on Ordination. Any church desiring to ordain a brother to the ministry may request the said Committee to act as a presbytery for the purpose of examining the brother as to his

fitness for the Baptist ministry, and, if he is found qualified, to assist in the ordination.

Section 3. The churches are urged also to exercise the utmost care and wisdom, earnestly seeking the guidance of the Holy Spirit, in calling of their pastors, choosing only men who give evidence by their Christian character, cooperative spirit and leadership ability, that they will serve the best interests of the churches, the denomination, and the cause of Christ.

## ARTICLE IX — NEW CHURCHES

Baptist churches may be organized and established in localities within the territory of this Association when such new churches are seen to be needed. Those interested in organizing a new church may seek the Counsel of the Executive Committee and the Missions Committee of the Association.

## ARTICLE X — RULES AND ORDER OF DECORUM

This Association shall be governed in its meetings by such rules and by-laws as may be adopted, amended, or set aside by a majority vote of the messengers present. *Robert's Rules of Order* will be the guide in all parliamentary matters.

## ARTICLE XI — ADOPTION

The Constitution and By-Laws shall take effect immediately upon its adoption by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present and shall supersede any and all constitutions, by-laws, and amendments previously adopted.

## ARTICLE XII — AMENDMENTS

This Constitution and By-Laws may be amended at any regular annual meeting by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present, provided the proposed amendment shall have been presented in written form on the first day of the Annual Meeting. The vote on any proposed amendment so presented may be deferred until the second day if requested by a majority vote of the messengers present.

# PROCEEDINGS

## Wednesday Morning Session

The 38th Annual Session of the Randolph Baptist Association was convened on Wednesday Morning, October 18, 1972 at the First Baptist Church of Randleman.

1 Rev. R. L. Hughes, Moderator, called the session to order at 9:30 A. M.

2 Hymn No. 308 — "We're Marching to Zion" led by Ron Jackson, Minister of Music at Asheboro First, with Mrs. Ralph Humble at the organ.

3 Rev. B. G. Pratt, pastor of host church, welcomed the messengers, read from Matthew, 5th chapter and gave the opening prayer.

4 Roll call of the messengers by the clerk. The motion was made, seconded, and approved that those registered and those that registered later constituted the 38th Annual Session.

5 The Order of Business was presented by Rev. Francis Lunsford and seconded by Andy Grose. Approved as presented.

6 The following new pastors to the Association were introduced by R. T. Smith: Ollie Prim, Antioch; B. C. Owenby, Armfield Heights; Gilbert

Ward, Cool Springs; F. E. Baucom, Gravel Hill; Norman Livengood, Macedonia; Jimmy Edwards, Mt. Lebanon; J. Williard Singletary, Russell's Grove.

7 The Executive Committee report was presented at this time by the clerk.

### Executive Committee Report

The Central Revival for the Association for the year 1974 claimed some of our attention at each Executive meeting. A number of outstanding speakers were suggested and they were contacted by the committee as to their availability. Rev. Jack Stanton, of the Home Mission Board, agreed to come and be with us.

The Committee approved a request from the Pastor's Conference in the amount of \$125.00 for honorariums for their speakers this past year.

A Central WIN School for the association will be held October 8-11, 1973.

The Place and Preacher Committee has recommended a night session for our Annual Meeting in 1973. This you will hear more about.

Respectfully submitted,

Fred Lane, Clerk

8. Rev. M. A. Pegram presented the report on Committee on Committees. This report will be found in the directory portion of the minutes.

9. Brother William A. Gillett presented the Treasurer's report.

### Treasurer's Report

Balance, October 1, 1971	\$ 1,322.27
Receipts 10-1-71 through 9-30-72	<u>14,428.24</u>
	15,750.51

#### Disbursements:

Training Union	\$ 95.47
W.M.U.	235.44
Sunday School	55.11
Clerk	270.00
Treasurer	270.00
Speakers	120.00
Talmage Smith	8,025.00
Convention Expense	145.00
Annuity	319.00
Telephone	538.23
Insurance	498.75
Professional Literature	9.24
Repairs	192.42
Utilities	679.43
Bible School	137.06
Supplies	919.98
Secretary	979.77
Social Security	50.94
Minutes	680.57
Sandy Creek	<u>50.00</u>
Total Disbursements	<u>14,272.33</u>
Balance, September 30, 1972	<u>\$ 1,478.18</u>
Savings Fund Balance	<u>\$ 2,412.84</u>

10. The 1973 Budget was presented for approval by Rev. W. A. Gillett.

### Randolph Baptist Association Budget For 1973

	1973 Budget
Church Training, "M" Night and Youth Night	\$ 250.00
Sunday School	250.00
Pastorium Maintenance	1,500.00
Bulletins, Supplies, Postage, Printing	975.00
Telephone	650.00
Minutes	700.00
Insurance	100.00
Fuel, Lights, and Water	700.00
Assistance to Churches	100.00
Shubal Stearnes Memorial	50.00
Evangelism	100.00
Brotherhood and R. A.'s	100.00
Denominational Meetings	500.00
Secretary	200.00
Music Department	100.00
Office Equipment	200.00
Visual Aids	50.00
Hospital Insurance	400.00
W.M.U.	300.00
Speakers for Annual Session	200.00
Miscellaneous	200.00
Clerk	300.00
Treasurer	300.00
Professional Literature	100.00
Salary	6,000.00
Travel Expense	2,500.00
Retirement	320.00
Total Budget for 1973	\$18,145.00



# Suggested Goals For 1973

	1973 Monthly	1973 Annually
Antioch	\$ 10.00	\$ 120.00
Armfield Heights	25.00	300.00
Asbury	30.00	360.00
Asheboro, First	200.00	2,400.00
Balfour	85.00	1,020.00
Beulah	60.00	720.00
Calvary	15.00	180.00
Caraway	15.00	180.00
Cedar Falls	15.00	180.00
Central Falls	25.00	300.00
Center Cross	15.00	180.00
Clear View	25.00	300.00
Cool Springs	10.00	120.00
Deep River	30.00	360.00
Fayetteville St.	35.00	420.00
Franklinville	65.00	780.00
Forest Park	15.00	180.00
Glenola	35.00	420.00
Gravel Hill	15.00	180.00
Greystone	40.00	480.00
High Rock	10.00	120.00
Hughes Grove	10.00	120.00
Huldah	20.00	240.00
Jackson Creek	10.00	120.00
Liberty, First	60.00	720.00
Macedonia	35.00	420.00
Maple Springs	25.00	300.00
Mt. Lebanon	35.00	420.00
Mt. Pleasant	35.00	420.00
Oakhurst	85.00	1,020.00
Oakwood Park	15.00	180.00
Panther Creek	5.00	60.00
Ramseur, First	80.00	960.00
Randleman, First	80.00	960.00
Red Cross	10.00	120.00
Riverside	20.00	240.00
Richland	10.00	120.00
Russell's Grove	75.00	900.00
Sandy Creek	15.00	180.00
Seagrove, First	10.00	120.00
Shady Grove	15.00	180.00
Sophia	15.00	180.00
Union Grove	60.00	720.00
West Asheboro	10.00	120.00
Westfield	10.00	120.00
White's Memorial	15.00	180.00
Worthville	10.00	120.00

Total Suggested Goals for 1973 ----- \$1,545.00

\$18,540.00

## Record of Receipts

Antioch	\$ 120.25
Armfield Heights	138.62
Asbury	120.00
Asheboro, First	2,475.00
Balfour	960.00
Beulah	305.00
Calvary	90.00
Caraway	100.00
Cedar Falls	144.00
Center Cross	75.00
Central Falls	177.00
Clear View	126.96
Cool Springs	- 0 -
Deep River	300.00
Fayetteville Street	- 0 -
Forest Park	162.97
Franklinville	540.00
Glenola	248.74
Gravel Hill	67.20
Greystone	308.89
High Rock	- 0 -
Hughes Grove	18.00
Huldah	120.00
Jackson Creek	60.00
Liberty, First	600.00
Macedonia	376.80
Maple Springs	160.00
Mt. Lebanon	240.00
Mt. Pleasant	300.00
Oakhurst	975.00
Oakwood Park	120.00
Panther Creek	5.00
Ramseur, First	994.75
Randleman, First	850.00
Red Cross	- 0 -
Richland	75.00
Riverside	120.00
Russell's Grove	909.78
Sandy Creek	165.00
Shady Grove	68.00
Union Grove	690.00
West Asheboro	60.00
Westfield	- 0 -
White's Memorial	15.00
Seagrove, First	- 0 -
Sophia	100.00
Worthville	120.00
Miscellaneous	3.75
State Convention	732.00
Sales Tax Refund	90.53
Total Receipts	<u>\$14,428.24</u>

11. Hymn No. 269 — "Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine" led by Ron Jackson and Mrs. Humble at the organ.

12. Special music by Asheboro High School Ensemble and directed by Mr. David Traynham.

13. Rev. Troy Jones brought the annual sermon at this time. Scripture and prayer by J. W. Singletary, Alternate.

14. Mrs. B. G. Pratt, W. M. U. President, presented the W. M. U. report at this time.

## W.M.U. Report

It is the purpose of our Associational W.M.U. to provide inspiration, Christian fellowship, and leadership training for the W.M.U. leaders in the local churches of our association. In addition we work to promote and undergird our associational youth mission organizations. Throughout the past year we have attempted, in a variety of ways, to achieve these purposes.

The following ladies served as Associational W.M.U. officers from April 1971 until April 1972:

W.M.U. Director	Mrs. B. G. Pratt
Assistant W.M.U. Director	Mrs. Calvin Brower
Secretary & Treasurer	Mrs. Harold Cross
Baptist Women Director	Mrs. T. G. Meachum
Baptist Young Women Director	Mrs. James Fisher
Acteens Director	Mrs. Gladys Canter
Girls in Action Director	Mrs. Jill Scarborough
Mission Friends Director	Mrs. Fred Carlton
Pianist	Mrs. Lloyd Brown

These officers met quarterly during the year for planning.

In May, under the leadership of our Associational G.A. Director, the Girls-in-Action had a mini-retreat at Camp Mundo Vista with approximately 80 girls attending.

Our associational-wide Brotherhood and W.M.U. meetings were held in July and October. The July meeting held at First Baptist Church, Ramseur, highlighted some of our home mission work done in Vermont, our last state to have a Southern Baptist church. The Youth Choir of First Baptist, Asheboro, sang and shared with us some of their joys as they worked and witnessed in Vermont for a week. In the October meeting, held at First Baptist Church, Randleman, we had a guest speaker, Miss Kathryn Bullard, State W.M.U. Director, to share what mission action is and how we can become involved in mission action. Also, at this meeting we had displays of materials available from the Home Mission Board, and each age level mission organization of the W.M.U. Films to be used during the fall foreign mission study were available to preview and churches could select dates to use these films.

Four of our associational W.M.U. leaders attended a two day workshop in August at Camp Mundo Vista to prepare themselves for leadership training.

Approximately forty ladies attended the W.M.U. leadership training held in First Baptist Church, Asheboro, early in November.

In September, the Associational G.A. Director held a workshop at First Baptist Church, Asheboro, for G.A.'s and their leaders to help encourage and promote interest in the girl's work on their advancement in Adventures.

During the year it was stressed that the entire church participate in the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for Foreign Missions and the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for Home Missions. It was also encouraged that the home and foreign mission studies be held on all age levels for everyone in the church family.

One of the highlights of the year for me was to help organize a Baptist Womens organization at Maple Springs Baptist Church. They hope to organize youth missions organizations during the next church year.

Our Annual W.M.U. and Brotherhood meeting was held at Glenola Baptist Church on April 24. After a devotion by the director and business, Mrs. Sammy James, a foreign missionary from Vietnam, spoke on our mission work in that war torn country.

We look forward to this coming year, seeking to fulfill our purpose of providing inspiration, Christian fellowship, and leadership training for all the women in the Randolph Association.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. B. G. Pratt

15. The State Mission Report was presented by the Rev. F. A. Lunsford.

### State Missions Report

The churches are on mission to people under the Lordship of Christ — Matthew 28: 19-20; Acts 1:8. Churches in a cooperative plan express their mission beyond the local congregation. State Missions is interrelated by planning and financing with associations, the State Convention, Home and Foreign Mission Boards. There is a ministry of State Missions expressed within the local church in Evangelism, Church Programs, and Stewardship Promotion. State Missions is Christian Social Service expressed through institutions. State Missions is churches expressing a positive interest in Christian Education.

State Missions is a multiplicity of special ministries too big for any one local church. These ministries to areas of need may be altogether supported by State Missions budgeting, or a cooperative budgeting arrangement of the local church, the association, the State Convention, and the Home Mission Board. Such specialized ministries include work at Cherokee and Pembroke, promotion and coordination of World Mission Conferences, support of part-time Chaplaincies in several correctional institutions, assistance in witnessing to and enlisting for service Orientals and Spanish speaking peoples. A specialized ministry to the deaf includes evangelizing, teaching and counselling the deaf.

Also included is a cooperative plan for Seminary extension and a rapidly growing Resort Ministry. Fruitland Baptist Institute is an area of State Missions. Our cities need Baptist Centers and other expressions of Christian social and evangelistic concern. State Missions promotes and supports a vigorous ministry in the inner city. State Missions continues a specialized ministry with other races.

State Missions serves the pastor and local church. New churches are encouraged by loans and grants of lot aid. Needy churches are given financial aid until they can become self-supporting. Pastors are directly helped through Annuity supplements.

State Missions is a cooperative ministry by the churches to people who need God and other churches that need help.

Respectfully submitted,  
Francis A. Lunsford

16. The Rev. Andy Grose gave his report on Home Missions at this time.

## Home Missions Report

### IF YOU REALLY CARE -- SHARE

God's plan gives us the privilege of sharing His Good News to people. This is possible because God cared and shared His Son. Christ cared and shared His whole life. Care and sharing brought the message of salvation to us.

We have the mission message: God's Word, the seed of eternal life sown in the heart will provide life eternal and nourishment for Christian growth.

We have a mission heritage that gives an open door to publish glad tidings, establish churches, minister and witness to people.

We have a church and churches through which we can cooperate with people in sharing the gospel. Mission and evangelism plans are available to aid people in churches to witness to people.

Churches with a total mission program have church community ministries that offer every church member a way to personally share the gospel. Some churches have over twenty ministries such as home fellowship Bible study, alcoholic rehabilitation, mission center, juvenile detention home, drug abuse programs, children's home, hospital ministry, inner city mission, international students, interfaith witness, literacy missions, low-income housing provision, ministry to deaf, recreation for mission children, senior citizens, servicemen, sewing, language groups, day care, youth development center, youth choirs visiting mission areas.

We have missionaries who through our prayers and support put us in many places and in service to many people.

We have hundreds of volunteers in missions, men, women, and young people who assist missionaries in many ways to lead people to Christ and into His service.

We have the Cooperative Program. Daily the miracles of co-operation are performed. Each week through our church, we put God's money with others for support of the Southern Baptist work. Special mission offerings each year give us a way to share the gospel with people in many places.

We have a mission field where we are. There is in the heart of every Christian unoccupied mission space. There is a mission field in the heart of every unsaved person.

We have a country which gives us the freedom to share the gospel.



You, too, can share the Good News through personal involvement in Home Missions. You can have a personal part in all your home mission work by praying for your home missionaries and staff, taking part in your church's mission program, and giving through the Co-operative Program and special mission offerings.

Listed below are mission opportunities that you can participate in that will aid in communicating the gospel in our land. Information on these mission privileges is available free on request from the Home Mission Board, 1350 Spring Street, N.W., Atlanta, Georgia 30309.

1. Mission communication — Home mission information will be sent to you that you may use in learning more about home missions and to get others informed about their mission opportunities.
2. Starting missions — This would be in cooperation with your church's plans of beginning new work.
3. Christian Service Corps — For those who can give some time in assisting missionaries and who can pay their expenses to the place of service.
4. Resort and beach missions — These are some of the newer ministries.
5. US-2 — College graduates who are willing to serve for two years on a mission field.
6. Student summer missionaries — students who can serve ten weeks each summer in assisting missionaries.
7. Youth choirs on mission tours.
8. Home missionary.

You can help to share the Good News through personal involvement in Home Missions through the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering. Let me express thanks to the churches of our association for the fine way that you have supported this offering for Home Missionaries.

Let us pray that God will use many people over America to reach our Homeland for Christ.

Respectfully submitted,  
Andrew P. Grose

17. The report on Foreign Missions was presented by J. B. Gibson.

### **Foreign Mission Report**

Southern Baptists are represented overseas by 2,526 missionaries assigned to serve in 75 countries and territories. To facilitate the work of these missionaries the Foreign Mission Board has divided the world into six administrative areas, each with an area secretary.

In addition to the six area secretaries, four consultants help to strengthen missionaries and their work. These are a medical consultant, consultant in Evangelism and church development, consultant on laymen overseas, and missionary family consultant.

The functions of area secretaries and consultants, and the program of orientation for new missionaries, are brought together in the Overseas Division with a division director. This division has responsibility for the planning, coordination, and strengthening of the Foreign Mission Board's programs of work around the world.

The Board has two other divisions in supportive roles. The Mission Support Division relates primarily to the Southern Board constituency to elicit support for world missions through the understanding, the prayers, the volunteers for missionary service, and the increased mission giving that will make continuing mission advance possible. The Management Services Division is responsible for operations in the Foreign Mission Board offices.

World conditions forming the background of missionary efforts were especially significant in 1971. Some interpreters see the events of the year as signifying the end of the post World War II era, with the shape of the new era not yet apparent. The new United States policy toward Communist China and the replacement of the Nationalist government of China in the United Nations by the Communist government constitute the main factor in a world power realignment. Acceptance of Great Britain into the common market helps to build Western Europe into another significant power center.

Developments in Pakistan and the brief war between India and Pakistan have broad international implications. Apparently, Bangladesh has become a new nation (though the Pakistan government has continued hoping for a loosely federated but still united East and West Pakistan). The increased power and influence of the Soviet Union in South Asia is a major by-product of the Pakistan crisis.

The Vietnam war continues, but with less United States involvement and with improved internal security in Vietnam. Thus far, however, there is no sign of a real solution to the problems of Indochina. Other nations in Southeast Asia have proposed that the entire region be considered a neutral zone, free from big-power interference.

Other 1971 developments, though less significant in the total world picture, have been important in relations to mission work. These developments include agreement for the reversion of Okinawa to Japan, limitations on visas for Malaysia, threat between the Arab states and Israel in the Middle East, tentative agreement to regularize the status of Rhodesia, growing leftist influence in Tanzania, and continuing political uncertainties in Chile.

No new countries were added to the list of Foreign Mission Board fields in 1971. The rate of entry to new countries is likely to slow down in the seventies, with increasing emphasis on the consolidating and strengthening of work already begun. The attempt to place missionaries in Egypt in 1971 did not succeed; the couple assigned there entered and remained only briefly before having to leave and be reassigned elsewhere. Therefore, for the present at least, Egypt has been removed from the list of countries served and the Board has missionaries assigned to 75 fields.

In 1971, missionaries who had been assigned to Laos, Surinam, and Upper Volta actually arrived on those fields to begin work. Also, missionaries assigned to Mozambique took up residence in Johannesburg (South Africa) for periodic trips to Mozambique while awaiting clearance for residence there.

There was encouragement by the end of 1971 for the locating of a missionary couple in Barbados for general evangelist work.

Both missionary appointments and net gain in missionary staff were up from the preceding year. The 226 reinforcements for missionary journeymen, and two special project medical workers.

The Foreign Mission Board's programs of work around the world are described in functional terms as evangelism and church

development, schools and student work, publication work, hospitals and medical care, and benevolent ministries. However both the Board and the Missions (organizations of missionaries) on the fields project their work in terms of a unified approach for each field, with the central objective of establishing in each country many strong indigenous churches and a strong Baptist denomination, and with the relative emphasis given to various types of work dependent on local circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,  
James B. Gibson

18. Hymn No. 451 — "O Zion Haste" led by Ron Jackson and Mrs. Humble at the organ.

19. Special Music by Mr. James S. Slauther, Tenor.

20. Speaking to the reports on Missions was the Rev. Samuel M. James, Missionary to Vietnam. Rev. James asked that everyone join in sending missionaries to the foreign fields. Over twenty five hundred are out there because of Baptist, for which he is thankful. Mission is looking at people where ever they may be. Foreign Missions is a very important part of God's mission to save the world.

21. Rev. Pratt, pastor of the host church, gave instructions as to place meal would be served and other information.

22. Brother Bill Lamb, Chairman of Evangelism for State Baptist gave the closing prayer.

### ADJOURN FOR LUNCH

### Wednesday Afternoon Session

23. Hymn No. 260 — "When We Walk With the Lord" led by Ron Jackson and Mrs. Humble at the organ.

24. Scripture and prayer by John Samuel, Minister of Education at Asheboro First.

25. The following officers were elected to serve:

Moderator .....	M. A. Pegram
V. Moderator .....	Carl King
Clerk .....	Fred Lane
Treasurer .....	James R. Lane

26. Report of the Nominating Committee by R. T. Smith, approved as presented and is found in the directory part of minutes.

27. The committee on Places and Preachers gave the following meeting dates for our 1973 sessions; Tuesday, Oct. 23, 1973 at 7:00 P. M. at Glenola Baptist and Wednesday, Oct. 24, at 9:30 A. M. at Liberty First.

28. Sunday School report was presented by Rev. Troy E. Jones.

## Sunday School Report

It is with heartfelt gratitude that we made this annual report to the Association.

The Sunday School is recognized as the most vital agency for winning people to Christ and church membership. In view of this fact it is necessary for the churches to strengthen in every way possible the efficiency of the Sunday School. We must enlist, teach, win and train the people. In Deuteronomy 31:12-13 we have these challenging words: "Gather the people together, men, women, and children, and thy stranger that is within thy gates, that they may hear, and that they may learn, and fear the Lord your God, and observe to do all the words of this law; and that their children, which have not known any thing, may hear, and learn to fear the Lord your God, as long as ye live in the land."

The teaching of God's Word to a needy world as recorded in the Bible is our continuing task. This teaching is done with the hope that persons may, under the leadership of the Holy Spirit, be led to respond to God with maturing faith, love and obedience. The basic approach of the Bible Teaching Program in Sunday School consists of ongoing, age-graded Bible classes and departments meeting on Sunday morning or in some mission situation.

The Bible Teaching Program of the Church includes more than that which takes place on Sunday morning. Extension activities are those activities which take place other than Sunday morning. These activities are: Vacation Bible School, Fellowship Bible Classes, Bible Conferences, Week-Day Bible Study, Bible Study Courses, and New Sunday Schools. At the general officers level there is a person called Extension Activities Director who is responsible for directing these studies.

There must be an increase in scope and effort in response to the challenge to teach all men God's Word. The Bible Teaching Program of the church has four significant tasks to be performed: 1. Teach the Biblical Revelation, 2. Reach persons for Christ and church membership, 3. Perform the functions of the church within its membership, and 4. Provide and interpret information concerning the work of the church and denomination.

Three successful Associational Sunday School meetings were held during the year: The Sunday School Launching Night in September, The Vacation Bible School Clinic in March, and the Teacher Improvement Workshop in June.

Respectfully submitted,

Troy E. Jones

29. The Church Training Report was presented at this time by the Director, Rev. Justus McKeel.

## Church Training Report

The Church Training Program in our association remained at about the same level of activity as the year before. Twenty churches reported active programs that meet on Sunday night. It is hoped that more of the churches will see the value of having a program of training for members that is done on a regular basis.



Church Training now includes three areas of ministry in the local church: Church Member Training, Church Leadership Training, and New Member Orientation. A church having either of these programs is said to be involved in church training. The Bible admonishes the church to train members for full service to their Lord in the world in which they live. The church of today must meet this challenge if it survives.

There are several associational meetings held during the year. The associational "M" night was held at the First Church, Asheboro in November. This new date moves "M" night from the first week in December because it conflicted with the Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions. The 1972 "M" night will be held November 27 at First Church, Ramseur with one of the associates in the Church Training Department being the featured speaker.

The second associational program was held May 21 at 2:30 p.m. in First Church, Ramseur. This was the Scripture Exploring Drill for children ages 9-11. Several churches participated in this drill that replaces the former Junior Memory work tournaments. The children who won in this drill went on to the state drills this summer at Caswell and Fruitland.

A third meeting would have been the Youth Night in August at Camp Caraway. Because of the tremendous night of youth evangelism planned in the same month for the Greensboro Coliseum, the local program was not held. Instead, churches and leaders were asked to take their youth to the Greensboro meeting. Plans are being made for the youth night this year to again to be held in August at Caraway.

One of the significant changes in the associational program this year was the departure of our Director, Rev. Raleigh Castelloe. Raleigh has done a splendid job of planning the programs for several years and his contribution is greatly appreciated. The new Director is Rev. Justus McKeel, who was elected by the Executive Committee to fill the vacancy. It is the hope of your Church Training leaders that this will be our best year in the effective programs planned by the local churches to prepare church members for service to Christ.

Respectfully submitted,  
Justus McKeel

30. Brother Stephen Weldon gave the Cooperative Program Report at this time.

### **Cooperative Program Report**

In May, 1973, we Southern Baptists will observe the forty-eighth anniversary of our primary mission support plan, the Cooperative Program. The Cooperative Program is the mainline channel through which we financially support Southern Baptist education, missions, and benevolent causes both in the United States and throughout the entire world.

The Cooperative Program is a part of your tithes and offerings given through our local church. Thus, your dedicated life with a part of your day-to-day labor goes toward witnessing of the saving grace of Jesus Christ to a lost world.

The Cooperative Program is sharing your love of God through 6,000 state, home and foreign missionaries. Last year they were in-



strumental in bringing more than 66,000 people to Christ who in turn followed Him to the waters of baptism.

The Cooperative Program is busy training capable leaders by helping students with scholarships in more than 800 Baptist schools with more than 100,000 pupils around the world.

The Cooperative Program is ministering to the needs of the sick through 21 Baptist hospitals and 105 clinics in many nations. You helped more than 1,000,000 patients last year who could not pay the cost of their care. The Cooperative Program aids in bringing shelter, food, clothing and other necessities of life to 8,000 homeless children plus more than 2,000 elderly people through Children's Homes and Homes for the Aging throughout the world.

Last year 1,020 Baptist churches in North Carolina increased Cooperative Program by giving 10 percent or more over what they contributed the previous year. Did the church where you serve increase this much?

Will you do two things?

1. Will you lead the church where you serve to make a worthy increase in Cooperative Program giving?
2. Will you pray for your missionaries and other Cooperative Program causes each day?

Respectfully submitted,  
Stephen Welborn

31. The Baptist Brotherhood Report was given by Carl Zeigler.

## Brotherhood Report

Brotherhood is the unit in a Baptist Church that involves men in mission action designed to witness and minister to persons of special need, to support world missions through prayer and giving, and to provide leadership for special projects.

For churches who do not have a Brotherhood or who are in the beginning stages of development the Brotherhood Commission provides materials and the State Brotherhood Department helps to train the leadership in the association and the churches.

The Brotherhood in the past has provided leadership for Royal Ambassadors work especially with reference to Camp Caraway and each church should attempt to involve its boys in the experiences of Camp Caraway.

While denominational activities proposed the Brotherhood Commission and the State Brotherhood Department will provide a nucleus for special projects for Baptist Men each Baptist Men's group should also involve itself in the affairs of the community and lend its resources to the number of worthwhile projects that exist at the community level.

Respectfully submitted,  
Carl L. Zeigler

32. Speaking to these reports was Brother J. Edwin Bullock, Secretary of Department of Brotherhood of State Convention.

33. Harold Davis presented the Report of Christian Education.

### Christian Education Report

The contribution of our colleges to strong lay leadership in all walks of life can be seen in the following questions from the *Baptist Education Study Task*:

1. Christian higher education is a vital aspect of the christian witness which has been generally accepted by Southern Baptists. This conviction is reflected in the following statement: 'The cause of education in the Kingdom of Christ is coordinate with the causes of missions and general benevolence and should receive along with these the liberal support of the churches. An adequate system of Christian schools is necessary to a complete spiritual program for Christ's people.'
2. The privately supported higher institutions of learning enjoy certain freedom in their search for and interpretation of truth that are not universally enjoyed by public colleges and universities. It is vital to continue this freedom from undue pressures either from church or state or other groups.
3. . . . Christian education differs little from any other type of higher education except in terms of its commitment.
4. . . . Christian education is not an optional interest of the church, but an important function of its mission.

Because no effective substitute has been found for the genuinely Christian College, Baptists must continue to nurture and support adequately their Christian institutions of higher learning."

Just for the records, our seven colleges showed a total enrollment of 13,706 as of September 22, 1971, or an increase of 890 over the previous year.

Hopefully, many churches will take advantage of the services of the Baptist Youth Corps. Through this program churches may apply for a trained young person from one of the colleges to serve under the pastor's direction during the summer months.

The Randolph Association member churches may be in the best locale for these services since we are in the center of the state.

Certainly some students may be interested in visiting our churches from our colleges during the school year since we are a few hours drive from five of the seven institutions. Perhaps this can keep us abreast of this exciting generation.

Respectfully submitted,  
Harold Davis

34. Rev. M. A. Pegram reported that Campbell College had an enrollment of over twenty four hundred, making it third in North Carolina in enrollment of private colleges. Also it graduates largest number of teachers and students going into Christian work.

35. Hymn No. 286 — "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" led by Ron Jackson and Mrs. Humble at the organ.

36. Our Christian Higher Education speaker was Dr. Eugene Poston, President of Gardner Webb College.

37. Hymn No. 455 — "We've A Story To Tell" led by Mr. Carl King with Mrs. Jackson at the piano.

38. Adjourn.

## Thursday Morning Session

### Shady Grove

October 19, 1972

39. Our Thursday Morning session was called to order at 9:30 A. M. by our Moderator, R. L. Hughes.

40. Hymn No. 132 — "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name" led by Mr. Ron Jackson and Mrs. Bill Applewhite at the piano.

41. Scripture and opening prayer by R. T. Smith.

42. The Field Worker for the Association, Rev. R. T. Smith, gave his report at this time.

## Report Of Field Worker

Days on field .....	336
Days away .....	29
Sermons preached .....	71
Other talks .....	5
Taught Sunday School .....	5
Conducted Prayer Meetings .....	13
Study courses taught .....	5
Conferences with individuals .....	1,418
Conferences with groups .....	159
Conferences with committees .....	22
State meetings attended .....	4
Churches visited in the association .....	27
Pieces of mail sent out .....	7,500
Miles traveled .....	20,062
Professions of faith .....	3
Additions to church .....	1

Respectfully submitted,  
R. T. Smith

43. Hymn No. 160 — "How Sweet the Name of Jesus" led by Ron Jackson, Mrs. Applewhite at the piano.

44. Solo by Miss Betha Ward, "He Lives Within my Heart."

45. Scripture and prayer by Rev. B. G. Pratt — Doctrinal Sermon by Rev. B. G. Pratt, Pastor of Randleman First.

46. Christian Literature Report by N. C. Neathery. (Special message by Rev. Woodrow Hill, speaking for the "Biblical Recorder")

## Literature Report For 1972

The literature report from the Sunday School Board indicates that the year 1970-71 was a significant year of beginning and change in the area of curriculum and methodology for Southern Baptists. The new

programs and materials provided for the 70's have been enthusiastically received with a few exceptions. Preliminary feedback indicated that some literature publications needed to be dropped, some combined, and some needed to be added. Many of these actions have already been taken in response to the expressed needs and wants of our Baptist Constituency.

The new materials were offered in seven series: (1) Convention Uniform, (2) Life and Work, (3) Forefront, (4) Foundation, (5) Support, (6) Campus Ministries, and (7) Program Helps. Each series has its own distinctive characteristics which serves as an aid to the churches in selecting the literature which will best meet their needs and wants.

The basic study materials are in periodical form which means the contents are new each month and quarter. This provides a greater degree of freshness, vitality, and currency. There is also a wide variety of special study and supplementary materials in semi-permanent form which gives churches additional choices and flexibility in their own curriculum development and offerings.

The Church Training Department, in consultant with the Division of Evangelism, and the Home Mission Board, assumed editorial and production responsibility for the WIN (Witness Involvement Now) materials. The WIN materials have been extremely well received as about 2,500,000 copies have been distributed during this year.

However, a general downward trend in literature circulation continues. There was a decrease of about 2 per cent in total publications this year.

Fortunately, there is good news concerning our State Baptist papers which have reached an all-time high of 1,650,807. Our Biblical Recorder is now nearing the 100,000 mark. We would like to urge every Baptist family to keep the Biblical Recorder coming into your home, because it is one of our finest state papers and an excellent news media concerning our Baptist work.

Respectfully submitted,

H. C. Neathery

47. The Annuity Report was given by Carl King.

## **Annuity Report**

Darold H. Morgan took office as president of the Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention on March 1, 1972. R. Alton Reed, whom he succeeded, had been chief executive officer of the Board for 19 years.

The change in executive leadership occurred with the Board having record funds held in trust of more than \$292 million, as of December 31, 1971. These funds are held in trust for 36,000 retirement plan participants now active in churches and denominational agencies.

Moreover, the Board paid out 25 per cent more in benefits to 7,500 annuitants last year than their contracts required. Called "13th Checks," these extra benefits were paid twice in the year — 8 1/3 per cent in February and another 16 2/3 per cent in December.

The same good yield on investments that permitted extra benefits to annuitants also gave Good Experience Credits (credits for good experience in investing) to active members of the various plans, adding value to their retirement fund being built up.

The extra benefits paid through "13th Checks" totaled \$1,339,732. The Board, in its 54 years of exstence, had paid out benfits that total \$92.1 million, including over \$10 million during 1971.

During the adminstration of R. Alton Reed, the Annuity Board eliminated its "unfunded liability" — which meant that potential claims for benefits exceeded assets. The Board is now in a position not only to fully meet every outstanding contract with members, but to grant Good Experience Credit as well.

The Annuity Board offers a protection plan for disability, death, and retirement to cover every pastor, church staff member, and denominational agency employee. Many churches help by paying in full the dues for their pastor and staff.

Retirement contributions may be made on the full salaries of pastors and other personnel by taking advantage of Plans B and C as well as Plan A. Information on the Annuity Board may be secured by writing its development office, 511 North Akard Building, Dallas, Texas 75201, or by contacting the Annuity Board representative of your Baptist state convention, Sam H. O'Neil, P.O. Box 26508, Raleigh, N. C. 27611.

### HIGHLIGHTS OF 1971

Total Active Members in:	
Plan A of Protection Program	21,774
Plan B of Protection Program	12,620
Plan C of Protection Program	4,544
Health Benefit Plan	14,721
Life Benefit Plan	5,056
New Group Insurance (Church)	6,870
New Group Insurance (Agency)	11,577
Churches billed in Plan A	18,796
Agencies with Plans	161
New Benefit Recipients:	
*Age Retirement	881
Variable	59
Disability	61
Widow	146
Child	88
Education	174
Total	1,409
Relief Recipients	413
Relief Payments	\$164,186
Total Benefits Paid	\$10,051,790

\*Includes lump-sum and one-time payments

In Randolph Association the *Association and* 24 of the 46 churches and and 30 staff members are enrolled in the Protection Program.

Respectfully submitted,  
Carl King

48. Evangelism Report was presented by Rev. M. A. Pegram.

### Evangelist Report

We should be extremely thankful to God for blessing us in our work of Evangelism across the state during this year. Six thousand youths and adults in 425 churches have participated in Lay Evangelism Schools or Pastor's Retreats and forty-two associations have confirmed



dates for schools. The 26th Statewide Evangelism Conference was held in February in Fayetteville with over 2,400 pastors and lay people in attendance. A Statewide Communications, Evangelism, and Administration Conference was held in Greensboro in May. The purpose of this workshop was to help pastors and others communicate the Gospel of Christ more effectively. In June a week of Youth Ministries, including Evangelism, was held at the Assembly at Southport with over 600 in attendance. On Friday evening of the week 113 youths made different kinds of public decisions. Over 14,000 attended Youth Evangelism Night at the Greensboro Coliseum on August 18th.

The 27th Statewide Evangelism Conference is scheduled for February 5-7, 1973, at Ovens Auditorium, Charlotte.

Our Association held a Conference on Evangelism in May at Liberty with J. H. Waugh, Jr. and Jimmy Hinson, as our speakers. A Lay School of Evangelism is to be held in our Association in 1973 during the days of October 8-11. Plans are in the making for a Central Revival in our Association in 1974.

It is our hope that we shall have an increase in baptisms next year and we encourage all to pray that this may happen.

49. Rev. John Jackson presented the Baptist Hospital Report.

### **Baptist Hospital Report**

The distinctiveness of Baptist Hospital's ministry lies not alone in its care for charity patients, but also in the type of service it renders to all its patients and to many other people throughout our state and nation and around the world. Baptist Hospital and Bowman Gray School of Medicine are combined and make up one of the world's largest Medical Centers. This is to say, the relationship of the Baptist State Convention to the Baptist Hospital has undergone a major change. This will be a '72 Convention issue.

Much is said on this relationship in the Jul 8, 1972 *Biblical Recorder*.

We should all prayerfully read and consider these articles, namely:

*An Analysis of Hospital-Medical School Situation* — page 2

*Trying to Tell It Like It is* — page 3

*Chairman of Committee of 15 Gives Progress Report to GB* — page 7

*Government Interest in Social Services Encouraging, but* — page 8

It is obvious, the problem is 'Church and State', or 'Church' or 'State'. We, the people are the Church; and we, the people are the State. Hospital ministry, care of the sick, the deeply troubled, the aged and needy, are definite missions, outreach, of the church. However, if we fail, as the Church to do this, the State will do it for us; but we will pay the cost through taxes. We are responsible and we will have to consider all the facts in making decisions. In the face of today's situation, many would be hopeless and helpless without Medicaid, Medicare, Aid to the Aged and Needy, etc., through Social Services, provided by State and Federal Government. I am not qualified to offer or present a solution . . . . But it is our problem, and together, as Church and State, or separately, as Church or State, we must solve the problem and pay the cost.

I have tremendous faith in Baptist Hospital, and am proud to have a part in it. Baptist Hospital does continue to serve patients who cannot pay for their hospital care. In 1971, charitable allowances amount-

ing to \$1,370,000 were issued to patients unable to pay in full. Every dollar of the \$371,000 Mother's Day Offering helped to make this charity work possible.

The Baptist Hospital takes pride in its record of charitable work, but would like our Baptist people to understand that there are other aspects of its work also which justify its existence as an institution of our Convention and make it worthy of the support of our churches.

The goal of Baptist Hospital is to be "A Medical Center ministering with skill and understanding." May God help our understanding. One has written:

"When man begins to understand he will learn to love,  
And when his love is understood the world will have peace."

Respectfully submitted,  
John L. Jackson

50. Baptist Homes for Aging Report was presented by Rev. Jimmie Edwards.

## Homes For The Aging Report

In our Baptist Homes for the Aging, we feel that there is no relationship more important and more blessed than the one that we have with our Baptist people in our Baptist Associations throughout the State. It is a special joy to visit personally the Associations and to have fellowship with the good people who mean so much to us in our ministry and to express to them our special thanksgiving. It is with a deep sense of gratitude to the Lord and to you that we bring this report on our Baptist Homes for 1972.

This has been the best year that we have ever had in our twenty-one years. The Special Offering for the Homes and support through the Cooperative Program reflect an encouraging increase. Through these two vital sources, the Homes during the past year derived almost 30% of the total operating budget in the care of the residents and patients, with 20% coming from the offering and 10% through the Cooperative Program. The most significant fact about this support from our Baptist people is that the majority of the residents in the Homes are persons with real financial needs, and these love gifts are used for their care. In fact, these gifts are a lifeline to the residents, and they could not be maintained without them. The greatest challenge to our Baptist people is to continue to increase the Special Offering from year to year, and thus keep pace with the needs of the residents who depend so greatly on it.

Our Baptist Homes now operate five resident Homes with two located in Winston-Salem, and one each in Albemarle, Hamilton and Yanceyville. These Homes have a capacity for 162 residents. In addition, there is a Nursing Care Unit, located in Winston Salem, with a capacity for 63 patients. In these Homes we specialize in tender loving care and do not know of any place this side of Heaven, and outside of one's home, where a person can receive more compassionate Christian care.

Of great significance during the past year, in May, was the dedication of the York Wing of the Nursing Care Unit. This wing, accommodating 18 additional patients was completed in November of 1971 and named in honor of Jude and Mrs. William York, of Greensboro. He and Mrs. York gave \$80,000 for the construction of this

new Wing, and the additional money needed was raised by the Trustees of the Homes. With this new addition, the Baptist Homes have been able to receive some few persons, on a limited basis only, directly as patients. The majority of the beds in the Nursing Care Unit are used for the residents of the five Homes, when nursing care becomes necessary. We are glad that the base of our operation has been broadened to include a ministry to the aging sick person, and we can only hope that we will move forward and be able to receive more patients in the years ahead.

Ministry to an older person is a direct ministry to Christ and is one of the finest things that North Carolina Baptists are doing. Be glad that you are a Baptist, and be grateful for the part that you are having in making the life of an aging person more abundant and more secure.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jimmie Edwards

51. The Children's Home Report was presented at this time by T. W. Nelson.

### **Baptist Children's Homes Report**

For the past eighty-seven years, North Carolina Baptists and their Children's Homes have cooperated in a program of Christian child care. This relationship has been characterized, on the part of the agency, by a sensitivity to real needs and a commitment to the best in child care. On the part of North Carolina Baptists, there has been a lasting commitment to child care expressed in generous and enthusiastic support of the agency's ministry.

This annual report finds the agency vigorously pursuing its basic purposes. Changing patterns of family life and the involvement of government in social ministries profoundly affect the number of children needing our care and the types of care needed. More and more we are being asked to serve children with special needs beyond neglect and dependency: emotional alienation from family; trouble with the court; borderline retardation; emotional disturbance which requires professional treatment. The urgency of the present and the challenge of the future to find effective patterns of care for these children.

The Baptist Children's Homes will not be content to provide minimal care only. We are committed to quality care which serves the whole person, providing the experiences and relationships which can enable the child to develop his full potential. Quality care costs. It makes heavy demands on the individual staff member in his involvement with the child. It requires more staff members for the number of children served. It necessitates the purchase of supplementary professional services, such as medical and psychological specialists. But the cost is really an investment in the future of the children served, and we believe it is the best investment of life and money we can make.

The Children's Homes continues to expand and improve its services to children and their families. Two new cottages are under construction at Broyhill Home. The Ten Star Builders Program is enlisting the support of Eastern North Carolina for a Christian child care in that section of the state. Mills Home is engaged in a year-long study to determine how we can best serve the children in the Piedmont Area. Across the state, renewed effort is being given to the enlistment of foster families. Expanded services to families are being initiated.

We believe this ministry of child care deserves the confidence and support of North Carolina Baptists. Our Baptist friends have demonstrated through their interest and support that they believe in what we are doing. The Cooperative Program continues to be the life-blood of our financial support. The 1971 Thanksgiving Offering channeled \$400,000 into our ministry of child care. Special gifts and bequests from individuals continue to provide for capital improvements. We deeply appreciate this generous support, and we pledge ourselves to continue this ministry of child care in the name of Christ and on behalf of North Carolina Baptists.

That we in Randolph Association continue to pray for our workers in our Children's Homes across North Carolina and give at least a day's wage from our home for Thanksgiving Offering.

Respectfully submitted,

T. W. Nelson

52. Special message on the Children's Home by J. B. Dennis in the absence of Isaac Terrell.

53. Report from Shubal Stearnes Memorial Committee.

### **Report Of Shubal Stearnes Memorial Committee**

Beginning with the origin of the Sandy Creek Baptist Association in 1758 and continuing for twelve years, all the Separate Baptist in Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina maintained their relationship with this association. Even the older church at Charleston, S. C. sent delegates. As a result of this relationship, the Charleston Baptist either organized or reorganized an association which gave new impetus to their growth.

The Reverend Shubal Stearnes led these people to know the God about whom Jesus and his disciples taught. As these people reached for God and brought God to others, little churches both with and without preachers began to spring up throughout the countryside. In many localities there were only a few Bibles, and some churches accepted people who had not repented. The Reverend Shubal Stearnes led these people to know a God who gave courage and sustenance. In return the people dedicated their lives to God's service in times of hardship and blessings. This was a great and wonderful experience.

It was about twelve years later when these early settlers fled the colony that they were finally free to build a church and to worship in the manner that they knew in their hearts to be right. At last they were free from the sheriff or other law enforcement officers who came to collect dues to pay to churches who had other beliefs. Although Shubal Stearnes did not live to witness this new found freedom, this had been the desire of his heart for many years.

Respectfully submitted,

Carl A. Teague



## Shubal Stearnes Memorial Fund Report

Fiscal Year October 1, 1971—October 1, 1972

Treasure Balance, October 1, 1971 .....	\$ 209.15
Receipts for Year:	
Sandy Creek Baptist Church .....	\$ 75.00
Sandy Creek Association .....	50.00
Randolph Association .....	\$ 50.00
	175.00
Total Treasure before Expenses .....	\$ 384.15
Less Expenses:	
Mowing of Cemetery Lawn .....	178.00
	178.00
Treasure Balance, October 1, 1972 .....	\$ 206.15

Respectfully submitted,  
Russell Routh, Treasurer

54. Words of Appreciation by Mrs. Calvin Brower.

### Committee On Appreciation

Each of us are aware that these two days of meeting did not just happen, but are a direct result of much time spent in prayer, thought, and just plain hard work.

We would like to thank each officer and committee that has worked to make this a most successful 38th session of the Randolph Association.

We want to take this opportunity just to praise God for our Supt. of Missions, our brother in Christ, Rev. R. T. Smith, for his leadership and inspiration.

To our hosts churches, First Baptist of Randleman, and Shady Grove, we say thank you for the fine food and cordial hospitality.

We are thankful to God that through inspiring word and song, we have become challenged and made aware afresh that God uses imperfect individuals like you and me to channel his love to others.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. R. C. Caudle  
Mrs. Calvin Brower

55. Presentation of the report on Memorials by Rev. John Jackson and Mrs. W. D. Wood.

### Memorials

#### Asbury

Mrs. Claudie Hunt  
Mr. Lamon King  
Rev. C. M. Strickland

Mr. A. G. Snow  
Mrs. J. W. Phillips  
Mrs. J. R. Lambert  
Mr. Clyde Clark  
Mrs. Lois Gurganious  
Mrs. Lucy Beck  
Mr. George B. Winslow  
Mr. Walter Lloyd  
Mrs. Virginia Reeder  
Mr. Albert Summers Coyle

#### Asheboro, First

Mrs. Wilson Kearns  
Mr. W. H. Grimes  
Mr. J. H. "Jake" Kearns



**Balfour**

Mrs. A. G. Memory  
Mrs. John Daves  
Mr. Joe Parsons

**Calvary**

Mr. J. I. Thompson, Sr.

**Central Falls**

Mrs. Mattie Allred  
Mr. Leo Beane

**Deep River**

Mr. Edgar Cain  
Mrs. Annie Phillips  
Mr. Avery Phillips  
Rev. Kirby Stout

**Franklinville**

Miss Nova Cox  
Miss Lelia McKinnon  
Mr. Manford Prevo  
Mr. Melvin Murray  
Mr. Clyde Rich  
Mr. M. D. Strider

**Glenola**

Mrs. Mamie Edmonds

**Gravel Hill**

Mr. Guy Ridge  
Mrs. Sally Ridge  
Mr. James McDowell

**High Rock**

Mrs. Minnie Swaney

**Huldah**

Mr. Marvin Garner  
Mr. James Thomas  
Mr. Clyde King  
Mr. Willie Bullins

**Liberty, First**

Mr. Dan Teague  
Mr. Roy C. Reitzel  
Mrs. R. M. Garner  
Mrs. A. E. Dark  
Mr. N. R. McMasters  
Mr. Godfrey Welch  
Mrs. W. D. Frazier, Sr.

**Macedonia**

Miss Dolly Moser

**Mt. Pleasant**

Mr. Frank Bowman  
Mrs. Mary Langley  
Mr. J. M. Nunn

**Randleman, First**

Mr. T. P. Rumsey, Sr.  
Mrs. Bonnie Peak  
Mrs. Allie Dorsett  
Mr. Lawrence Lanier

**Richland**

Mrs. Dorothy Humble

**Russell's Grove**

Mrs. Hattie Spoon

**Shady Grove**

Mrs. Lena Langley

**Sophia**

Mr. Gordon Stiles

**Union Grove**

Mr. John Upton  
Mr. Clarence Owens  
Mr. Frank Fox  
Mr. Joe Stutts

**Westfield**

Mr. C. F. Hughes  
Mr. Beecher Kennedy

**Beulah**

Mrs. Addie Benner  
Mrs. Geneva Caviness  
Mrs. Rosa Lambert

**Caraway**

Mrs. John Cooper

**Jackson Creek**

Mr. Frank Cody

**Oakhurst**

Mr. O. F. Smith  
Mrs. Etta Ragsdale  
Mr. Johnny Russell  
Mrs. Mary Loflin  
Mrs. Margaret Freeman

56. Committee on Time Place and Preachers Report by Ralph Holcomb.

### **Report of Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher**

Time: Tuesday, October 23, 7:00 P.M. to 9:30 P.M.

Wednesday, October 24, 9:30 A.M. — Morning Session; 1:30 P.M. —  
Afternoon Session

Place: Tuesday, Glenola Baptist Church

Wednesday: Liberty, First

Annual Sermon: William A. Gillett; Alternate: Bill Barnes

Doctrinal Sermon: Albert Taylor; Alternate: W. E. Eaton

Respectfully submitted,  
Ralph Holcomb, Chairman  
Bill Barnes  
Donnie Yates

57. Words of welcome by Charles Edwards of the Shady Grove Church and gave the instructions as to the meal.

58. Hymn No. 331 — "Speak to My Heart" led by Ron Jackson, Mrs. Bill Applewhite at the piano.

59. Special music by Ron Jackson, "Fill My Cup Lord" Mrs. Applewhite at the piano.

60. Message by Coy C. Pruiette pastor the North Kannapolis Baptist Church, Kannapolis, N. C.

61. Motion to adjourn.

TABLE 1. CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION																		
Month & Day																		
COUNTY																		
Year organized as a church																		
Location																		
Other additions (by letter, death, statement, etc.)																		
Present resident members																		
Grand total present members																		
No. members received from non-Baptist Churches																		
Baptist churches																		
Value of pastor's home if owned by the church																		
Value of church property including pastor's home																		
Total church debt at end of this asse-																		
CHURCHES																		
PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)																		
City State Zip																		
Associational Clerk																		
State																		
Antioch	Ollie Brim	327 East Dorsett Street, Asheboro	27203	Randolph	1958	6	X	2	2	2	40	47	87	0	0	23,000	4,734	
Armfeld Heights	B.C. Owenby	P.O. Box 696, Asheboro	27203	Randolph	1964	7	X	0	17	7	112	12	124	1	0	88,000	0	
Asbury	Bernie Maness	Route 2, Seagrove	27341	Mont.	1926	1	X	4	2	6	227	28	255	0	1	14,000	0	
Asheboro, First	J. B. Gibson	P.O. Box 785, Asheboro	27203	Randolph	1902	5	X	11	33	67	891	307	1198	2	23	0	750,000	17,000
Balfour	Curtis Barbary	Route 2, Bennett		Randolph	1931	6	X	3	4	26	424	69	493	0	11	15,000	80,000	
Beulah	Clayton Johnson	Box 146, Goldston	27208	Randolph	1902	1	X	14	11	4	472	50	522	0	0	50,000	410,000	0
Calvary	Troy E. Jones	Box 146, Goldston	27252	Randolph	1954	3	X	0	0	7	52	14	66	0	0	0	0	0
Caraway	Troy E. Jones	Route 1, Sophia	27350	Randolph	1898	1	X	4	3	1	75	49	124	0	0	12,000	14,000	0
Cedar Falls	Robert Hunsucker	912 Breezehill Road, Asheboro	27203	Randolph	1844	2	X	0	0	2	110	21	131	0	0	9,000	11,000	0
Center Cross	J. C. Mangum	Box 306, Central Falls	27232	Randolph	1893	1	X	4	1	0	65	48	113	0	0	0	18,000	0
Central Falls	Clyde Dawkins, Jr.	Route 5, Asheboro	27203	Randolph	1893	1	X	14	14	5	282	83	365	0	1	20,000	115,000	0
Clear View	Albert Taylor	Box 11, Coleridge	27234	Randolph	1894	1	X	6	2	11	222	64	286	2	4	35,000	60,000	95,000
Deep River	M. A. Pegram	P.O. Box 111, Franklinville	27245	Randolph	1964	3	X	2	3	10	131	18	149	0	3	12,000	33,000	12,830
Forest Park	Ralph Holcomb	Route 3, High Point	27263	Randolph	1887	3	X	8	1	15	182	152	334	0	3	30,000	185,000	65,863
Franklinville	F. E. Baucum	Route 3, Denton	27239	Randolph	1914	2	X	10	4	24	162	145	307	0	0	20,000	175,000	27,400
Glenola	Andrew Grose	805 Greystone Road, Asheboro	27203	Randolph	1901	1	X	2	7	10	141	22	163	0	0	7,000	23,000	0
Gravel Hill	John W. Wheeler	803 W. Wheeler Avenue, Kannapolis	28081	Randolph	1951	6	X	15	24	10	162	20	182	5	3	25,000	180,000	28,800
Greystone	Steve Wilborn	Route 2, Thomasville	27360	Randolph	1941	1	X	1	0	3	39	55	94	0	0	0	10,000	0
High Rock	Tommy Wallis	Route 4, Asheboro	27203	Davidson	1932	2	X	4	20	0	268	8	276	14	0	26,000	166,000	85,520
Hughes Grove	Tommy Wallis	Route 9, Box 217, Lexington	27292	Randolph	1896	1	X	7	1	10	184	36	220	0	0	30,000	80,000	9,466
Huldaah	Austol Youmans	P.O. Box 815, Liberty	27298	Randolph	1954	3	X	8	0	2	27	24	51	0	0	0	12,000	0
Jackson Creek	Robert Hunsucker	912 Breezehill Road, Asheboro	27203	Randolph	1886	1	X	8	3	17	245	62	307	0	0	30,000	120,000	0
Liberty, First	Robert Hunsucker	912 Breezehill Road, Asheboro	27203	Randolph	1880	1	X	1	1	4	227	22	249	0	0	19,000	200,000	95,750
Macedonia	Darrell Cox	P.O. Box 118, Seagrove	27341	Randolph	1888	1	X	0	0	0	107	21	128	0	0	10,000	40,000	0
Maple Springs																		

**TABLE A. CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION**      **YEAR ENDING** September 30, **1972**  
(Month & Year)

State	Randolph			County	Year organized as a church	Location	Services held twice on Sunday?		Total Baptisms	Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Present nonresident members	Grand total present members	No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	Baptist Churches owned by the church	Value of church property including pastor's home	Total church debt at end of this assessmental year
	Churches	Pastors & Addresses (include zip code)	1-Open Country (500 pop. or more)				2-Village (under 500 pop.)	3-Town (500-2499)										
Asheboro, North Carolina	Assocational Clerk																	
	Fred Lane																	
	P.O. Box 1005	Asheboro N. C. 27203																
	Churches	Pastors & Addresses (include zip code)																
	McL. Lebanon	Jimmie Edwards Route 1, Box 238, Thomasville 27360	1															
	W. A. Gillett	Box 846, Liberty 27298	1															
	McL. Pleasant	R. L. Hughes 2311 S. Fayetteville Street, Asheboro 27203	7															
	Oakhurst	Carl Zeigler Route 7, Box 222, Asheboro 27203	7															
	Oakwood Park	John Beane Route 4, Asheboro 27203	1															
	Panther Creek	Justus McKeel P.O. Box 255, Ramseur 27316	3															
	Ramseur, First	B.G. Pratt 201 Forest Drive, Randleman 27317	4															
	Randleman, First	B.W. McPherson 306 Cherokee Street, Asheboro 27203	1															
	Richland	W. E. Eaton Route 5, Asheboro 27203	1															
	Riverside	Willard Singletary Route 5, Asheboro 27203	2															
	Russell's Grove																	
	Sandy Creek																	
Shady Grove																		
Seagrove, First	Ronnie Kiser Route 4, Asheboro 27203	1																
Sophia	Bill Barnes Route 2, Box 226-K, Trinity 27263	3																
Union Grove	F. A. Lunsford Route 1, Box 59, Seagrove 27341	1																
Westfield	Thomas Hill Route 2, Ramseur 27316	1																
White's Memorial	Garland T. Hall Route 1, Ramseur 27316	2																
Worthville																		

Association		State		City		Zip		SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)																	
CHURCHES																									
North Carolina Associational Sunday School Director Rev. B. G. Pratt 100 North Main Randolman N. C. 27317	Marvin Brim	Route 4, Asheboro 27203	10	12	30	27	21	0	0	0	16	0	100	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	Total V. B. S. enrollment				
	Keith Hayes	Route 3, Box 160, Asheboro 27203	15	29	21	10	25	3	0	0	4	0	107	65	2	14	0	0	96	0	Mission V. B. S. enrollment				
	Bobby R. Mabe	Route 2, Seagrave 27341	12	32	33	42	65	40	0	0	0	0	224	179	0	0	0	105	0						
	James C. Fisher	Route 4, Inwood Road, Asheboro	113	147	161	73	214	139	88	25	13	0	973	470	2	25	0	0	212	0					
	Eugene McMasters	Route 7, Asheboro 27203	35	45	62	56	107	30	0	9	5	0	349	174	0	0	0	114	0						
	Lester Myrick	Route 2, Bennett 27208	77	76	59	99	126	45	0	0	4	0	486	442	0	0	0	248	0						
	Bobby Poole	Route 4, Box 37, Asheboro	5	6	3	3	19	4	0	0	0	0	40	23	0	0	0	0	0	0					
	Boonie Lane	Route 1, Sophia 27350	5	22	27	11	21	0	0	0	2	0	88	52	0	0	0	0	0	0					
	Clyde Honeycutt	Cedar Falls 27230	18	9	24	8	35	0	0	0	3	0	97	44	0	0	0	68	0	68					
	Billy Sellers	Route 5, Asheboro 27203	10	15	20	27	25	4	0	0	9	0	110	83	0	0	0	0	97	0	97				
	Franklin Allred	Route 3, Randleman 27317	18	27	37	46	62	10	0	0	8	0	208	140	0	0	0	119	0	119					
	Hurley Nance	Cedar Falls 27230	14	12	16	15	23	0	0	0	3	0	80	63	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
	Edsel Moffitt	Route 1, Ramseur 27316	17	28	17	58	62	40	0	0	3	0	225	160	0	0	0	55	0	55					
	Carl King	117 Oak Lane, Randleman 27317	20	31	22	12	55	4	0	0	2	0	146	66	0	0	0	69	0	69					
	Mac Davis	P.O. Box 126, Franklinville 27248	12	38	22	15	53	28	0	15	4	0	187	101	3	32	0	0	40	0	40				
	Robert Skeen	Route 3, High Point 27263	20	45	42	20	68	25	0	9	5	0	234	153	0	0	0	79	0	79					
	Claudia Peele	Route 2, Denton 27239	13	13	28	9	35	28	0	0	5	0	130	80	0	0	0	40	0	40					
	Benny Hampton	Route 7, Box 216A, Asheboro 27203	28	18	23	23	69	6	5	0	3	0	175	91	0	0	0	72	0	72					
		11	12	14	26	31	0	0	0	0	0	94	75	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
		37	34	36	72	28	35	0	0	2	0	244	166	0	0	0	116	0	116						
		28	29	25	47	48	0	0	0	1	0	178	123	1	28	0	0	97	0	97					
		5	8	10	19	11	3	0	0	3	0	59	45	12	12	0	0	85	0	85					
		23	29	34	20	46	20	0	4	4	0	180	100	0	0	0	70	0	70						
		20	36	22	14	45	36	0	0	6	0	179	114	0	0	0	79	0	79						
		7	16	18	15	21	18	0	0	2	0	97	68	0	0	0	27	0	27						



TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL		YEAR ENDING		September 30		1972	
Association		State		City		Zip	
RANDOLPH		N. C.		Randolman		27317	
SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)							
CHURCHES							
Harold Strider							
Route 5, Asheboro 27203							
Mt. Lebanon							
Roy Lee Isom							
Route 1, Liberty 27298							
Mt. Pleasant							
Tony Vuncannon							
919 Redding Road, Asheboro 27203							
Oakhurst							
George Byrum							
Route 2, Asheboro 27203							
Oakwood Park							
Newman Beane							
Route 4, Asheboro 27203							
Panther Creek							
K.G. Pell							
Rasmeur, First							
P.O. Box 185, Ramseur 27316							
Fred Snider							
300 Northville Road, Randolman 27317							
Randolman, First							
James Harvell							
Route 1, Asheboro 27203							
Richland							
Larry Wilson							
Route 2, Seagrave 27341							
Riverside							
Darrell Johnson							
Route 7, Asheboro 27203							
Russell's Grove							
Willie Swift							
Route 1, Liberty 27298							
Sandy Creek							
Ronald Cain							
Route 4, Box 325, Asheboro 27203							
Seagrave, First							
Miss Brenda Heilig							
Route 1, Staley 27355							
Shady Grove							
Dennis Carter							
Route 4, Box 385Y, High Point 27263							
Sophia							
Bill Hussey							
Route 1, Seagrave 27341							
Union Grove							
Edd Hughes							
Trinity 27370							
Westfield							
Garland Stutts							
Route 1, Franklinville 27248							
White's Memorial							
Clay Jordan							
120 Northville Road, Randolman 27317							
Worthville							

Association										Training Union										Training Projects									
State										Training Union										Training Projects									
Rev. Justus McKeel										27203										46									
Associational Training Union Director										N. C.										State									
Box 255										Rameur										City									
Address										Training Union Directors & Addresses (Include Zip Code)																			
Churches										Preschool enrollment (5 years and under—not in school)										Children's enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)									
										Youth enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)										Young Adult enrollment (18-25 years or H.S. graduation to 25 years)									
										Adult enrollment (26-59 years or 30 to retirement)										Senior Adult enrollment (60 and over or retirement and over)									
										General officers enrollment										Enrollment of missions or church									
										Total Training Union										Registration									
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TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION				YEAR ENDING Sept., 30 _____ 1972				86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100
Association				(Month & Day)				Enrollment														
State								Number of Organizations														
Associational WMU Director								Total number of														
City								Missions of														
Address								Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)														
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TABLE F. BROTHERHOOD  
ASSOCIATION

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1972  
(Month & Day)

State

RANDOLPH

North Carolina

Associational Brotherhood Director

Rev. Jimmie Edwards

Address

Route 1, Box 238

City

Thomasville

State

N. C.

Zip

27360

BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)

CHURCHES

	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108
	Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Men enrollment (18-29 years or H. S. Graduation to 29 years)	Baptist Men enrollment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	Baptist Senior Men (60 and over or retirement and over)	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of missions(s) of church	Total Brotherhood enrollment
Asbury	0	8	0	7	0	0	0	15
Balfour	5	6	0	15	0	0	0	26
Central Falls	0	5	0	10	2	2	0	19
Forest Park	5	0	0	6	0	3	0	14
Farmington	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Greystone	0	0	0	15	4	3	0	22
Hughes Grove	0	0	3	20	0	0	0	23
Liberty, First	6	7	6	30	6	2	0	57
Mt. Pleasant	8	8	2	15	3	3	9	39
Oakhurst	12	4	0	0	0	6	0	22
Ramseur, First	5	9	0	0	0	0	0	14
Randleman, First	45	6	0	0	17	0	3	26
Russell's Grove	5	5	0	6	0	2	0	18
Sophia	15	10	0	0	0	1	0	26
Union Grove	5	8	4	19	5	2	0	43

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TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES 1971										Name (Print Name)		Address		City		State		Zip	
RANDOLPH										Church		Church Clerks & Addresses (Include Zip Code)		Church Sponsors		Church Sponsors		Church Sponsors	
State										North Carolina		North Carolina		North Carolina		North Carolina		North Carolina	
Association										Association		Association		Association		Association		Association	
Address										R. T. Smith		R. T. Smith		R. T. Smith		R. T. Smith		R. T. Smith	
251 S. Elm Street										Asheboro		Asheboro		Asheboro		Asheboro		Asheboro	
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Antioch										Mrs. Lillie M. Craven		Mrs. Lillie M. Craven		Mrs. Lillie M. Craven		Mrs. Lillie M. Craven		Mrs. Lillie M. Craven	
Route 4, Box 201, Asheboro										27203		27203		27203		27203		27203	
Armfield Heights										Mrs. E. M. Johnson		Mrs. E. M. Johnson		Mrs. E. M. Johnson		Mrs. E. M. Johnson		Mrs. E. M. Johnson	
Route 4, Box 27, Asheboro										27203		27203		27203		27203		27203	
Asbury										Mrs. Eunice Hancock		Mrs. Eunice Hancock		Mrs. Eunice Hancock		Mrs. Eunice Hancock		Mrs. Eunice Hancock	
Route 2, Seagrove										27341		27341		27341		27341		27341	
Asheboro, First										Mrs. Dick Stratton		Mrs. Dick Stratton		Mrs. Dick Stratton		Mrs. Dick Stratton		Mrs. Dick Stratton	
407 Harvest Circle, Asheboro										27203		27203		27203		27203		27203	
Ballfour										Lewis Pritchard		Lewis Pritchard		Lewis Pritchard		Lewis Pritchard		Lewis Pritchard	
Route 1, Asheboro										27203		27203		27203		27203		27203	
Boulah										Mrs. Betty L. Maness		Mrs. Betty L. Maness		Mrs. Betty L. Maness		Mrs. Betty L. Maness		Mrs. Betty L. Maness	
Route 2, Box 40A, Bennett										27208		27208		27208		27208		27208	
Calvary										Mrs. Gail F. Smith		Mrs. Gail F. Smith		Mrs. Gail F. Smith		Mrs. Gail F. Smith		Mrs. Gail F. Smith	
Route 1, Box 56-A, Asheboro										27203		27203		27203		27203		27203	
Caraway										Mrs. Joyce King		Mrs. Joyce King		Mrs. Joyce King		Mrs. Joyce King		Mrs. Joyce King	
Box 4301, Archdale Branch, High Point										27263		27263		27263		27263		27263	
Cedar Falls										Mrs. E. C. Gallicut		Mrs. E. C. Gallicut		Mrs. E. C. Gallicut		Mrs. E. C. Gallicut		Mrs. E. C. Gallicut	
Route 1, Franklinville										27248		27248		27248		27248		27248	
Center Cross										Mrs. Brenda Strider		Mrs. Brenda Strider		Mrs. Brenda Strider		Mrs. Brenda Strider		Mrs. Brenda Strider	
Route 5, Asheboro										27203		27203		27203		27203		27203	
Central Falls										Mrs. Claude Poole		Mrs. Claude Poole		Mrs. Claude Poole		Mrs. Claude Poole		Mrs. Claude Poole	
Box 274, Central Falls										27222		27222		27222		27222		27222	
Clear View										Mrs. Audrey Vance		Mrs. Audrey Vance		Mrs. Audrey Vance		Mrs. Audrey Vance		Mrs. Audrey Vance	
Route 1, Box 203, Franklinville										27748		27748		27748		27748		27748	
Deep River										Mrs. Robert Trogdon		Mrs. Robert Trogdon		Mrs. Robert Trogdon		Mrs. Robert Trogdon		Mrs. Robert Trogdon	
Route 1, Box 39, Kamasur										27316		27316		27316		27316		27316	
Forest Park										Mrs. Leva Taylor		Mrs. Leva Taylor		Mrs. Leva Taylor		Mrs. Leva Taylor		Mrs. Leva Taylor	
1239 North Fayetteville, Asheboro										27203		27203		27203		27203		27203	
Franklinville										Mrs. Howard Sanders		Mrs. Howard Sanders		Mrs. Howard Sanders		Mrs. Howard Sanders		Mrs. Howard Sanders	
Route 136, Franklinville										27268		27268		27268		27268		27268	
Glenola										Mrs. Muriel Gray		Mrs. Muriel Gray		Mrs. Muriel Gray		Mrs. Muriel Gray		Mrs. Muriel Gray	
Route 2, Box 235, Trinity										27370		27370		27370		27370		27370	
Gravel Hill										Miss Barbara Tucker		Miss Barbara Tucker		Miss Barbara Tucker		Miss Barbara Tucker		Miss Barbara Tucker	
Route 3, Denton										27239		27239		27239		27239		27239	
Greystone										Mrs. Don Hamilton		Mrs. Don Hamilton		Mrs. Don Hamilton		Mrs. Don Hamilton		Mrs. Don Hamilton	
Route 3, Kivett, Asheboro										27203		27203		27203		27203		27203	
High Rock										Mrs. Ronda Hughes		Mrs. Ronda Hughes		Mrs. Ronda Hughes		Mrs. Ronda Hughes		Mrs. Ronda Hughes	
Route 7, Asheboro										27203		27203		27203		27203		27203	
Hughes Grove										Linda Thomas		Linda Thomas		Linda Thomas		Linda Thomas		Linda Thomas	
Route 3, Thomasville										27460		27460		27460		27460		27460	
Huldah										Mrs. Donnie Edwards		Mrs. Donnie Edwards		Mrs. Donnie Edwards		Mrs. Donnie Edwards		Mrs. Donnie Edwards	
Route 4, Asheboro										27203		27203		27203		27203		27203	
Jackson Creek										Mrs. Paul Cody		Mrs. Paul Cody		Mrs. Paul Cody		Mrs. Paul Cody		Mrs. Paul Cody	
Route 2, Box 36, Denton										27239		27239		27239		27239		27239	
Liberty, First										Mrs. Marie R. Luther		Mrs. Marie R. Luther		Mrs. Marie R. Luther		Mrs. Marie R. Luther		Mrs. Marie R. Luther	
Route 25, Liberty										27298		27298		27298		27298		27298	
Macdonia										Mrs. Marie O. Ferguson		Mrs. Marie O. Ferguson		Mrs. Marie O. Ferguson		Mrs. Marie O. Ferguson		Mrs. Marie O. Ferguson	
Route 1, Box 143, Julian										27281		27281		27281		27281		27281	
Maple Springs										Mrs. Thurman Davis		Mrs. Thurman Davis		Mrs. Thurman Davis		Mrs. Thurman Davis		Mrs. Thurman Davis	
Route 34, Asheboro										27203		27203		27203		27203		27203	









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CARL. L. KING, Vice Moderator

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GLENOLA BAPTIST CHURCH

October 23

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Liberty, N. C.

October 24





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First Baptist, Liberty, Second Day

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Next Session

October 22, 23, 1974

Tuesday, October 22 — Franklinville Baptist

Wednesday, October 23 — First Baptist, Ramseur

Annual Sermon: Willard Singletary; Alternate: Andrew P. Grose

Doctrinal Sermon: B. C. Owenby; Alternate: Justus McKeel

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## ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

Moderator ..... M. A. Pegram Clerk ..... Fred Lane  
Vice Moderator ..... Carl King Treasurer ..... James R. Lane

### Associational Officers

Brotherhood Director ..... G. T. Patterson  
Music Director ..... William A. McIlvaine  
Trustees: H. Wade Yates, Chairman  
W. Sumner Farlow  
Wiley Jones  
Chairman of Evangelism ..... William A. Gillett  
Hospital Representative ..... John Jackson  
Children's Homes Representative ..... T. W. Nelson  
Baptist Homes for the Aging Representative ..... J. Willard Singletary  
Literature Chairman ..... H. C. Neathery  
Temperance and Morals ..... Neal Cockerham  
Annuity Board Representative ..... Carl King  
Cooperative Program Representative ..... B. C. Owenby  
Church Training Director ..... Justus McKeel  
Church Member Training ..... Charles Beane  
Church Leader Training ..... Joe Anderson  
New Member Orientation ..... J. B. Gibson

### Sunday School Officers

Sunday School Director ..... Andrew P. Grose  
Division Directors:  
Pre-School Director ..... Mrs. W. T. Denson  
Children's Director ..... Otus Thomas  
Youth Director ..... John Samuel  
Adult Director ..... Benny Hampton  
V.B.S. Director ..... John Samuel

Rev. J. B. Gibson presented the report of Committee on Committees.

## Committees

### Committee on Ordination

H. C. Neathery, Chairman  
Albert Taylor  
Francis Lunsford  
R. L. Hughes  
Willard Singletary

### Committee on Nominations

Joe Anderson, Chairman  
G. T. Patterson  
Mrs. Calvin Brower  
Miss Lois Groce  
Bill Barnes

### Committee on Missions

Andrew Grose, Chairman  
Carl King  
Steve Chancey  
W. E. Eaton

### Committee on Memorials

R. L. Hughes, Chairman  
L. J. Rainey

### Committee on Organization of New Churches

R. L. Hughes, Chairman  
John Mangum  
Guy B. Teachey

### Committee on Order of Business

B. C. Owenby, Chairman  
Justus McKeel  
Norman Livengood  
Clyde Stutts  
Neal Cockerham

### Committee on Appreciation

Mrs. Carl King, Chairman  
Mrs. Ruth McNeil

### House and Grounds Committee

Marvin Caviness, Chairman  
Fletcher Skeen  
Mrs. J. B. Gibson

### Committee on Time, Place and Preacher

W. A. Gillett, Chairman  
Bennie Maness  
John Samuel

### Committee on Budget and Finance

Kermit Pell, Chairman  
James Lane  
J. B. Gibson  
D. B. Hilliard, Sr.  
Jimmy Edwards

### Committee on Constitution

Wade Yates, Chairman  
A. B. York, Jr.  
Otus Thomas

## CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

### ARTICLE I — NAME AND OBJECT

Section 1. The name of the organization shall be the Randolph Baptist Association.

Section 2. The purpose of this organization shall be:

- a. The promotion of harmony, fellowship and cooperation among the churches of the Association.
- b. The propagation of the Gospel within the territory of the Association and to the uttermost part of the earth.
- c. The promotion of the missionary, education and benevolent causes of Christ within the Association and in cooperation with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

### ARTICLE II — MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. The membership of the Association shall consist of messengers of Baptist churches regularly affiliated with the Association. All churches desiring affiliation with the Association shall present to the Committee on Reception of New Churches proper petitions, accompanied by satisfactory evidences of doctrinal regularity and general acceptability. After one year under the watchcare of the Association the said Committee will report to the Association its recommendation. Upon a favorable vote of two-thirds majority of the messengers present at the annual associational meeting the petitioning church may become regularly affiliated with the Association.

Section 2. (A) Fellowship may be withdrawn by the Association at any annual meeting, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee, from any church in its membership that has been found, by due investigation, to have departed from the Missionary Baptist faith and practices, or has failed to abide by the provision of this Constitution and By-Laws.

(B) Such a church may, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee and vote of the Association, be placed on probation until the conditions prompting such action have been corrected. Messengers from any church on probation shall not be allowed to vote in the meetings of the Association.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of each church to furnish to the Association each year a letter, on the form provided by the Clerk, giving full information and statistics provided for on the form, and to send with the letter or by messenger a contribution toward the cost of printing the minutes and other expenses of the Association.

Section 4. It is understood that each church in this Association is independent and sovereign in its own affairs, and the Association has no authority over the churches, except of an advisory nature.

Section 5. A church may withdraw from membership in the Association by a vote of the church according to its own by-laws, regulations or procedure.

### ARTICLE III — MEETINGS

Section 1. The Association shall meet annually on two days during the week following the Third Sunday in October.

Section 2. The annual meeting shall be composed of messengers



chosen by the respective churches of the Association from their membership. *Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members, or fraction thereof, above one hundred it has enrolled*, but not to exceed ten such messengers. All pastors in the Association and the Field Worker are messengers in all the Associational Meetings, each having but one vote.

Section 3. The Association may hold a Mid-Term meeting each spring at such time and place as may be determined by the Association or its Executive Committee. The purpose of the Mid-Term meeting shall be that of information and inspiration without the transaction of business, except that urgent matters of business which cannot well be delayed until a later meeting may be considered and acted upon.

Section 4. Other meetings of the Association may be held when called by the Executive Committee.

#### ARTICLE IV — OFFICERS

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, and three Trustees.

Section 2. These officers shall be elected on the first day of the regular annual session. The prior approval and consent to serve, if elected, shall have been secured from a prospective nominee prior to placing his name in nomination for any one of the several associational elective offices. They shall take office at the close of the Annual Session and serve through the next Annual Session. Any officer may be re-elected with the exception of the Moderator, who shall not serve more than two years in succession.

Section 3. Duties of the Officers:

- a. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the Association and discharge such duties as are incumbent on the presiding officer of a deliberative body.
- b. The Vice-Moderator shall perform the duties of the Moderator in the absence of or at the request of the Moderator.
- c. The Clerk shall record and preserve the proceeding of the Association, together with the reports and statistics, and have the same printed and distributed. The Treasurer shall preserve all money paid into the treasury, pay the same to the order of the Association, and make a full and complete report of all receipts and disbursements at the Annual Meeting.
- d. The duties of the Trustees shall be to transfer or hold title to any properties for the Association. All transactions of said Trustees shall be authorized by the Association or its Executive Committee.

Section 4. The Association endorses the continued operation of organizations among the churches of the Association for the promotion of the various phases of their work including the Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, Baptist Brotherhood and Woman's Missionary Union. The officers of the Associational Sunday School, Associational Baptist Training Union, and the Associational Baptist Brotherhood shall be nominated by their Nominating Committee and the Nominating Committee of the Association, and approved and elected by the Executive Committee of the Association, and shall serve from October 1 to September 30. The Woman's Missionary Union shall be recognized as an auxiliary organization of the Association.

## ARTICLE V — EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Section 1. The Association shall have an Executive Committee comprised of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Trustees of the Association, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Associational Baptist Brotherhood Director, Associational Woman's Missionary Union Director, the Associational Field Worker, all pastors, all church educational directors, and one member of each church in the Association desiring representation on the Committee.

### Section 2.

- a. The Executive Committee shall hold meetings once each quarter during the second month of the quarter, the date to be set by the Board itself, and at such other times as may be required at the call of the Moderator, or at the call of not less than five members of the Executive Committee.
- b. Twenty members of the Executive Committee shall be required to be present to constitute a quorum.
- c. To act for and on behalf of the Association between sessions.
- d. To carry out the orders and resolutions of the Association pertaining to it.
- e. To superintend the Associational Mission work, employ a missionary and determine the salary to be paid.
- f. To *fill* vacancies which may occur during the year in the personnel of the Associational officers or workers for the remainder of such unexpired term.
- g. To investigate any report of complaint that may be brought to its attention about irregularity of doctrine, practice, or conduct on the part of any individual or group in the Association and report its finding with such recommendations as it considers advisable, to the Association in a regular meeting.
- h. To make such recommendations as it may deem wise for the strengthening and upbuilding of the churches and the work of the Association.
- i. The Executive Committee shall not involve the Association in debt to exceed one hundred dollars for necessary operating expenses of the Association.
- j. To appoint and elect the officers for the Associational organizations of the Sunday School, Church Training, and Baptist Brotherhood.

## ARTICLE VI — ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

### Section 1:

- a. The Associational Council shall be composed of the following Associational officers: Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Associational Woman's Missionary Union Director, Associational Brotherhood Director, Associational Music Director, Chairman of the Evangelism Committee, Chairman of the Budget Committee, Chairman of the Missions Committee, the Field Worker, and others deemed necessary by the Moderator to carry on the work of the Association.

- b. The Moderator shall serve as Chairman of the Council, the Vice-Moderator as vice chairman, and the clerk as secretary.

#### Section 2:

- a. The Associational Council shall hold meetings once each quarter and at such other times as deemed necessary by the Chairman or at the call of not less than 5 members of the Council.
- b. Seven members of the Council shall be present to constitute a quorum.
- c. The duties of the Associational Council shall be:
  - (1) To plan the general work of the Association.
  - (2) To assign responsibility of the implementation of proposed plans.
  - (3) To receive and help correlate into a general associational program the proposed plans of the individual organizations.
- d. The Council shall give a quarterly report to the Associational Executive Committee along with any recommendations it may have.

### ARTICLE VII — COMMITTEES

Section 1. The Moderator shall appoint a Committee on Committees some weeks before the annual meeting of the Association. This Committee shall prepare its report and shall be given the opportunity to submit its report early on the program of the first day of the annual session. The Committee shall name the following committees to report during the annual session: Committee on Memorials, Committee on Appreciation, and such other committees as may be requested by the Association or Moderator. The Committee on Committees shall also name the following standing committees: Committee on Ordination, Committee on Reception of new churches, Committee on Time, Place and Preacher, Nominating Committee, Committee on Order of Business, Constitution and By-Laws Committee, Budget and Finance Committee, Missions Committee, and such other committees as may be requested by the Association or by the Moderator.

#### Section 2. Duties of the Committees:

- a. The Committee on Time, Place and Preacher will receive all invitations of the churches which desire the Association to meet with them the next year and will recommend to the Association the time and place to meet the following year, without regard to the order in which the invitations may have been received. This Committee will also recommend a preacher and an alternate for the annual sermon and the doctrinal sermon next session.
- b. The Committee on Memorials will prepare a list of those members of the churches who have died during the year and present suitable memorial resolutions for adoption by the Association.
- c. The Committee on Appreciation will prepare and present appropriate resolutions of appreciation.
- d. The Committee on Order of Business will prepare well in advance a suggested order of business for the annual meeting. The committee will notify those who are to make

reports or have part on the program. This suggested order of business will then be presented to the Association at its regular meeting.

- e. The Nominating Committee shall nominate a complete slate of officers for the next year, excepting the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer.
- f. Guiding Principles for the Work of the Missions Committee of the Randolph Association.
  1. The Committee is to seek to discover areas where new work is needed and to lead in the sponsorship or establishment of new work to meet present need or the securing of property by a local church and/or the Association in the anticipation of future need.
  2. All new work does not necessarily need to be nor should be intended to become an organized or constituted church. New work may be started and maintained on the basis of a mission to meet particular need (this provides for institutional missions such as jails, prisons, rest homes, etc.)
  3. The location of missions or new churches shall be determined by the need revealed in an adequate survey conducted by the Missions Committee and local interested groups or churches.
  4. Any church, committee, group or individuals considering beginning new work, acting with or without church sponsorship, should approach the Missions Committee for guidance before having any service or choosing a temporary or permanent location.
  5. The Missions Committee shall institute basic, understandable operational procedures and practices for a mission that leads in establishing and strongly urges that each church establishing a mission does the same. The guidance of missions by the Missions Committee shall continue until a co-operating church or churches can be led to accept the responsibility of sponsorship.
  6. A mission organized or assisted by the Missions Committee shall accept the recognized principles and practices of a church co-operating with the Randolph Association, the Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

## ARTICLE VIII — ORDINATION AND CALLING OF PASTORS

Section 1. Inasmuch as the ordination of a man to the gospel ministry by any church in this Association is expected to be recognized by the denomination as a whole, the churches are counseled to be extremely careful in the matter of setting men apart for this sacred calling, ordaining only those who, by irreproachable character, piety of life, doctrinal soundness and suitable talents, give promise of honoring the name of Christ and of rendering acceptable service in the missionary Baptist ministry.

Section 2. To aid the churches in this vital matter, the Association will appoint each year a committee of five of the pastors to be called the Committee on Ordination. Any church desiring to ordain a brother to the ministry may request the said Committee to act as a presbytery for the purpose of examining the brother as to his



fitness for the Baptist ministry, and, if he is found qualified, to assist in the ordination.

Section 3. The churches are urged also to exercise the utmost care and wisdom, earnestly seeking the guidance of the Holy Spirit, in calling of their pastors, choosing only men who give evidence by their Christian character, cooperative spirit and leadership ability, that they will serve the best interests of the churches, the denomination, and the cause of Christ.

#### ARTICLE IX — NEW CHURCHES

Baptist churches may be organized and established in localities within the territory of this Association when such new churches are seen to be needed. Those interested in organizing a new church may seek the Counsel of the Executive Committee and the Missions Committee of the Association.

#### ARTICLE X — RULES AND ORDER OF DECORUM

This Association shall be governed in its meetings by such rules and by-laws as may be adopted, amended, or set aside by a majority vote of the messengers present. *Robert's Rules of Order* will be the guide in all parliamentary matters.

#### ARTICLE XI — ADOPTION

The Constitution and By-Laws shall take effect immediately upon its adoption by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present and shall supersede any and all constitutions, by-laws, and amendments previously adopted.

#### ARTICLE XII — AMENDMENTS

This Constitution and By-Laws may be amended at any regular annual meeting by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present, provided the proposed amendment shall have been presented in written form on the first day of the Annual Meeting. The vote on any proposed amendment so presented may be deferred until the second day if requested by a majority vote of the messengers present.

### PROCEEDINGS

#### Tuesday Evening Session

The 39th Annual Session of the Randolph Baptist Association was convened on Tuesday evening, October 23, 1973 at 7:00 P.M. at Glenola Baptist Church.

1 The Moderator of the Association, Rev. M. A. Pegram, called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

2 Hymn No. 422 — "He Leadeth Me" led by William L. McIlvaine with Mrs. Irma Wood at the piano.

3 Scripture and opening prayer by Jerry Strider, Interim pastor of Glenola.

4 Roll call of the messengers by Fred Lane, Clerk. Motion made, second and approved that those registered and those that will register later constitute the 39th Annual Session.

5 The Order of Business was presented by Willard Singletary and second by R. T. Smith. Approved as presented.



The new pastors to the Association were presented by the Field Worker, Rev. R. T. Smith.

### New Pastors

Glenola Interim	Jerry Shriver
Balfour	Tom Patterson
Forest Park	William Slate
Liberty First	Reginald Dawkins
Riverside	Charles Lassiter
Maple Springs	Charles Stevens
Antioch	Clyde Dawkins
Shady Grove	Steven Chancey
Sandy Creek	James Wall

7 The Executive Committee Report was presented by the Clerk, Fred Lane.

### Executive Committee Report

The committee cancelled the Central Revival for 1974 because of lack of interest from the churches. Only twenty, out of the forty-seven churches, showed any interest at all. Of the twenty, eight were interested and the others a modest interest. Only seven out of the fifteen in the Asheboro area reported.

The committee requested the Constitution and By-Laws Committee to make some changes in the Constitution and present these at our Annual Session. This you will hear about on the first day.

Other business of the committee was of a routine nature.

Respectfully submitted,  
Fred Lane, Clerk

9 Mr. Wade Yates suggested the following changes in the constitution to be presented at the next annual session.

### Committee On Constitution

The committee on Constitution of the Randolph Baptist Association moves to amend Article II, Section 2 (A) of the Constitution and By-Laws of this Association to provide:

"Fellowship may be withdrawn by the Association at any annual meeting, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee, from any church in its membership that has been found, by due investigation, to have departed from the Missionary Baptist faith and practices, or has failed to abide by the provision of this Constitution and By-laws, or has failed to either have its pastor or lay member or both in attendance in one or more of the four regular meetings of the Executive Committee, or has failed to make a contribution to the expenses of the Association in addition to the cost of Association minutes, or has failed to properly prepare and return to the Association office a copy of the associational letter, or has failed to send one or more messengers to the annual session of the Association."

The Committee moves that this proposed amendment be printed in the minutes of the annual session and be voted on at the 1974 annual session.

10 Rev. Tom Patterson made the following motion, which was second by Rev. Lunsford:

I move that we, the Randolph Baptist Association, in the opening session of our 39th Annual meeting to go on record that we unanimously stand in opposition to the passage of the L. B. D. referendum in our State on Nov. 6 and that our clerk be authorized to place a public statement of our opposition on this issue in all local newspapers printed in Randolph County.

11 Our Treasurer, James Lane, presented his report at this time.

### Treasurer's Report

Balance, October 1, 1972	\$ 1,478.18
Receipts	18,781.59
	<u>\$20,259.77</u>
Disbursements:	
Telephone and utilities	\$ 1,335.22
Equipment, Painting and	
Repairs	1,951.21
Annuity	319.72
W.M.U.	211.49
Training Union	62.00
Youth Night	338.17
Supplies	1,209.83
Professional Literature	16.34
Insurance	396.00
Social Security Tax	22.90
Secretary	482.76
Minutes	706.07
Lay Evangelism	90.34
Treasurer	292.50
Clerk	292.50
Speakers	200.00
World Missions Conferences	2,519.62
Vacation Bible School	77.30
Sandy Creek	50.00
Convention Expense	80.00
Salary and travel expense	8,475.66
Total Disbursements	<u>19,129.65</u>
Balance	<u>\$ 1,230.12</u>
Wachovia Savings Balance	<u>\$ 2,526.94</u>

12 Bro. Earl Underwood, Chairman of Budget and Finance, presented the budget for 1974.

### Randolph Baptist Association Budget For 1974

	1974 Budget
Church Training, "M" Night, and Youth Night	\$ 250.00
Sunday School	400.00
Pastorium Maintenance	1,200.00
Bulletins, Supplies, Postage, Printing	1,200.00
Telephone	650.00
Minutes	750.00
Insurance	125.00
Fuel, Lights, and Water	700.00
Assistance to Churches	100.00
Shubal Stearns Memorial	50.00
Evangelism	100.00
Brotherhood and R.A.'s	100.00
Denominational Meetings	400.00
Secretary	1,200.00
Music Department	100.00
Office Equipment	200.00
Visual Aids	50.00
Hospital Insurance	400.00
W.M.U.	300.00
Speakers for Annual Session	200.00
Miscellaneous	200.00
Clerk	300.00
Treasurer	300.00
Professional Literature	100.00
Salary	6,300.00
Travel Expense	2,700.00
Retirement	320.00
Total Proposed Budget for 1974	\$18,695.00

13 Hymn No. 61 — "Make Me A Channel of Blessings". Led by William McIlvaine and Mrs. Wood at the piano.

14 Special Music; Mr. William L. McIlvaine.

15 Annual Sermon — Rev. W. A. "Bud" Gillett.

16 Mrs. Calvin Brower, President of the W. M. U., presented her report at this time.

### W.M.U. Report

The following women were elected and served as Associational WMU Officers April, 1972-April, 1973:

WMU Director	Mrs. Calvin Brower
Assistant WMU Director	Mrs. Austol Youmans
Secretary	Mrs. Ed Ford
Baptist Women Director	Mrs. T. G. Meacham
Baptist Young Women Director	Mrs. James Fisher
Acteens Director	Mrs. Bill Hogan
Girls in Action Director	Mrs. Teeny Scarborough
Mission Friends Director	Mrs. Lewis Pritchard
Pianist	Mrs. Lloyd Brown

Six of these officers attended the State Associational Leadership Training Workshop held at Camp Mundo Vista, September 7-8, 1972. The Council met quarterly during the year for planning and evaluation.

The 130 girls attending the Associational GA Mini-Retreat, April 29 at Mundo Vista elected Laurie Scarborough of First Baptist, Asheboro, President.

A Mission Action workshop was held August 12 at Mt. Pleasant. Thirty-two women representing eight churches, heard Mrs. Sam Burrows of the Randolph County Mental Health Association, Joe Pinkston, Randolph Mental Health Unit — Fellowship House, Miss Jane Allen, American Red Cross, Mrs. T. J. Johnson, Special Education, and Mrs. Sylvia Burrows, rest homes, share local needs and services.

An Associational Leadership Conference to inform and assist WMU leaders was held September 28 at First Baptist, Ramseur.

Highlighting Associational Night — WMU Brotherhood emphasis February 26, 1973 at Armfield Heights Church was Ron Jackson's slide-tape presentation of First Baptist, Asheboro's young people conducting Mission Vacation Bible School at Edisto Island, S. C.

During the year two new filmstrips were purchased for Associational use. A list of all mission filmstrips available was compiled and sent to all WMU Directors.

Visits to churches, telephone calls, *The Randolph Baptist* newsletter, and correspondence were methods used by Associational officers to assist WMU's.

Home and Foreign Mission Studies were encouraged as was church-wide participation in the following offerings: Lottie Moon, Annie Armstrong, State Missions, and Heck-Jones.

Having completed 18 or more merit achievements on the WMU Achievement Guide and had 50% or more WMU age level organizations achieving some recognition two of our churches were recognized by the N. C. WMU as *Distinguished* WMU's. They were Liberty, First (2nd year) and Mt. Pleasant (4th year).

Recognized for *Advanced* Achievement was Ramseur, First.

"Ask of Me" was the theme of the WMU — Brotherhood Annual Session held at Camp Mundo Vista, April 30th. The dinner meeting was attended by 130 persons. Miss Nancy Curtis, State Baptist Young Women's Director and Dr. Charles Tabor, Medical Missionary to Korea, were speakers. Miss Betha Ward, Greystone Choir Director, was guest soloist.

The following Giant Step Goal was adopted:

New Organizations by 1974

Baptist Women — 6  
 Baptist Young Women — 2  
 Acteen — 6  
 Girls in Action — 7  
 Mission Friends — 7

New officers elected to serve 1973-74 were:

WMU Director — Mrs. Calvin Brower  
 Assistant WMU Director — Miss Carolyn King  
 Baptist Women Director — Mrs. T. G. Meacham  
 Baptist Young Women Director — Mrs. James Fisher  
 Acteens Director — Mrs. Tony Vuncannon  
 Girls in Action Director — Mrs. Doyle Owen  
 Mission Friends Director — Mrs. Lewis Pritchard  
 Secretary — Mrs. Ed Ford  
 Pianist — Mrs. Joe Church

Number of churches in Association — 47

Number of churches with one WMU Age Level Organization — 28

Baptist Women	25	Number members	500
Baptist Young Women	4	Number members	55
Acteens	22	Number members	162
Girls in Action	26	Number members	202
Mission Friends	23	Number members	143

Respectfully submitted,  
 Mrs. Calvin Brower

17 Brotherhood Report was presented by Jimmy Edwards.

## Brotherhood Report

The Brotherhood Organization involves men and boys in Missions. It is a part of the church program. Many men and boys hunger today for opportunities to express their Christian faith in new and daring ways. They are searching for genuine Christian adventure.

These self-giving opportunities abound for Christian men and boys with the courage and trust to explore areas of need and the courage to become personally involved in efforts to meet those needs.

Such opportunities are community-wide, nation-wide, or world-wide. Seeing these opportunities depends upon the depth of concern and commitment of Southern Baptist men and boys.

The Brotherhood is a study-action effort that motivates men and boys to witness and minister at home and abroad in ways never dreamed of before.

Brotherhood is sharing Christ with people.

During the past year we participated in services with the WMU at Armfield Heights on February 26 and Mundo Vista on April 30.

I also met on two occasions to outline the Brotherhood program, one with Armfield Heights on June 27, then at Clearview on July 25.

We still have several churches in our Association who do not have a Brotherhood. If there is any way I or any of the Brotherhood officers can help, please call upon us. We pray that God will continue to bless us in our efforts for Him.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Jimmie Edwards



18 Rev. Tom Patterson presented the report on State Missions.

### **State Missions Report**

GENERALLY SPEAKING, State Missions in North Carolina can be divided into two major categories: (1) ministries that STRENGTHEN and (2) ministries that LENGTHEN the witness of local churches.

STRENGTHENING ministries involve the various church program organizations such as Sunday School, Church Training, WMU, Brotherhood, etc. These are programs that better enable local churches to realize their own mission potential.

State Missions ties into all of this by providing resources and personnel that assist in the development of these ministries. Workshops, seminars, and conferences are conducted each year that deal directly with the strengthening of these organizations. State Missions, therefore, helps local churches as they themselves become types of "Mission stations" across the state.

The second type of State Missions are those ministries that LENGTHEN the witness of local churches. These are cooperative efforts that "represent" the concerns of local churches; programs that require the support of many congregations. Some examples of these ministries include Urban Missions, Interracial Cooperation, Resort Ministries, Language Ministries, Chaplaincy, Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute, Seminary Extension, Ministry to the Deaf, etc. These are specialized programs that require the continued support of well-trained personnel. Many of these ministries are co-sponsored with the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board who provide home missionaries, as well as other resources.

Each of these ministries, however, works closely with local churches and associations. In Resort Ministries, for example, local churches and associations often participate by providing personnel and other resources. It is not uncommon for urban weekday programs to look to churches and associations for a needed location and other resources.

Other extending ministries include Literacy Work, Migrant Missions, Mountain Missions, Week-Day Ministries and Youth and Family Services. All total, State Missions involves over 50 different ministries across North Carolina. These programs serve as a vital link in the total World Mission responsibility of North Carolina Baptists.

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Patterson

19 Home Missions report was presented by Norman Livengood.

### **Home Missions Report**

1972-73 has a projected baptismal total of 452,000 and is the second consecutive year Southern Baptists have reported over 400,000 baptisms. The programs of evangelism development, Christian social ministries, work with National Baptists, language missions, interfaith witness, and its many other programs show steady gains.

During the past year plans were completed for the new Home Mission Board sponsored evangelistic television programs. The thirty minute programs bear the name "Spring Street, USA."

At the close of the year the total number of home missionaries in active service stood at 2201, a gain of one over the previous year.

These missionaries serving across the nation and in Puerto Rico and Panama, reported a total of 57,481 professions of faith during the year.

The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering increased 13.3% (\$174,152) to a record high of \$6,059,703. We are grateful for the excellent support provided by Southern Baptists.

Respectfully submitted,  
Norman Livengood

20 Bro. Steven Chancey presented the report on Foreign Missions.

## Foreign Missions Report

"Therefore go and make disciples in all the nations, baptizing them into the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and then teach these new disciples to obey all commands I have given you; and be sure of this — that I am with you always, even to the end of the world." (Matthew 28:19-20, *The Living Bible*). These two familiar verses of scripture have been known as the "Great Commission" of Jesus Christ. Southern Baptists have taken seriously these words of Christ ever since the organization of the Southern Baptist Convention in 1845, when the Foreign and Home Mission Boards were founded.

Ninety-five percent of the unevangelized people in the world live outside the United States. Southern Baptists are making a gigantic effort to reach those ninety-five percent for Jesus Christ through the Foreign Mission Board.

We now have more than 2,500 foreign missionaries in seventy-seven countries and the list of vocational specialties encompasses twenty-five classifications, including agricultural specialists, veterinarians, pilots, radio and TV representatives, and business administrators.

The Foreign Mission Board's program of work around the world are described in functional terms as evangelism and church development, schools and student work, publication work, hospitals and medical care and benevolent ministries.

Support for Foreign Missions comes chiefly through two channels — the Cooperative Program and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. In 1972 the total gifts received by the Board amounted to \$35,439,514. Of this amount, 43.04% came through the Cooperative Program and 50.19% through the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. All other gifts amounted to 6.77%.

Although the total dollar giving to Foreign Missions is up — percentage wise, it is declining. The devaluation of the United States dollar abroad and the continuing rise of inflation everywhere, make it imperative that we increase our mission giving to true proportions. On the average, only four percent of every collection plate dollar goes to missions.

Missions is the task of every local church. We have been called to reach the world for Jesus Christ from wherever we are. The Foreign Mission Board enables Co-operating Southern Baptists to reach out to the "uttermost parts of the world" with the good news of Jesus Christ.

Respectfully submitted,  
Steven Chancey

21 Hymn No. 373 — "Living for Jesus" led by William L. McIlvaine, with Mrs. Irma Wood at the piano.

22 Special song by Mr. McIlvaine.

23 Missionary Message — Quentin Lockwood of the Church Extension Department of the Home Mission Board of Atlanta.

Closing prayer by Rev. Tom Patterson.

### **Wednesday, October 24, 1973** **Morning Session**

24 The meeting was called to order by Rev. Pegram.

25 Hymn No. 137 — "Praise Him, Praise Him" led by Carl King, with Jimmy Brower at the piano.

26 Reginald Dawkins, pastor of the Host Church, welcomed the messengers, read the scripture, and led the prayer.

27 The following officers were elected for the coming year:

Moderator .....	M. A. Pegram
V. Moderator .....	Carl King
Clerk .....	Fred Lane
Treasurer .....	James R. Lane

28 Nominating Committee report was presented by Mr. Carl King. This report will be found in the directory portion of the minutes.

29 Rev. Andy Grose presented the report on Place and Preachers.

### **Report of Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher**

Time: Tuesday, October 22, 7:00 P.M.

Wednesday, October 23

Morning Session, 9:30 A.M.; Afternoon Session, 1:30 P.M.

Place: Tuesday, Franklinville Baptist Church

Wednesday, First Baptist Church, Ramseur

Annual Sermon: Willard Singletary; Alternate: Andrew P. Grose

Doctrinal Sermon: B. C. Owenby; Alternate: Justus McKeel

Respectfully submitted,

Andrew P. Grose, Chairman  
M. A. Pegram  
Jimmy Edwards

30 The Sunday School report was presented by Rev. B. G. Pratt.

### **Sunday School Report**

In June, 1973 representatives from the Sunday Schools in Randolph Baptist Association met in the Balfour Baptist Church. Following a devotional of hymn and prayer, age group leaders were introduced by Mr. Burrell Lucas, Director of our State Sunday School Department. Age group conferences on teaching improvement were led by workers provided by the state. There was good attendance and much helpful information was shared.

Our associational Sunday School also sponsored an inspirational meeting on the theme, "Share the Word Now" at Glenola Baptist in September, 1973. The guest speaker was Rev. John Privott, Superintendent of Missions for North Roanoke Baptist Association, Rocky Mount. Mr. Privott brought a good message, challenging us to reach out into the community to involve more people in Bible study.

The statewide emphasis for 1974 will be teacher improvement, and our association will be sending a team of teachers for the various age groups to a regional training workshop March 15 at First Baptist Church, Asheboro. This team of teachers from our association will in turn provide a Teacher Improvement Workshop for the Sunday School teachers from the local churches October 7-10, 1974. We urge the churches to schedule this on their calendars and secure their teachers early enough for them to benefit from this training.

Let us continue to keep God's Word in the center of all that we do in our total church program. The Sunday School officers of the association are always ready to help any local church should their services be needed.

Respectfully submitted,  
Bob Pratt

31 Justus McKeel presented the Church Training Report.

### **Church Training Report**

The Church Training Program in Randolph Association is centered in those churches which reported active Sunday night unions. Perhaps all the churches in the association, however, were involved in Church Training as they held classes for leadership training and preparation or orientation for new converts.

There were several opportunities for the entire association to participate in during this past year. The "M" night program was held on November 27 at First Church, Ramseur. Rick Taylor, associate in the Church Training Department, Raleigh, presented a monologue based upon a favorite Bible passage as the program. Rick is in charge of the Baptist Youth Corps activities plus several other responsibilities for the Church Training Department.

The second associational meeting was the Scripture Exploring Drill held on May 20 at the Oakhurst Church. Although few churches send contestants to the drill, those young people who do attend are well-prepared. Those who win in the drill go on to participate in the state drill held at the summer assemblies.

By far the most successful program of the year was the Youth Night held on August 27 at Camp Caraway. The Sons of Light from the Florida Street Baptist Church in Greensboro gave a program of music and personal testimony that resulted in many decisions for Christ plus many rededications, also. Approximately 250 young people, counselors, and kitchen staff were fed at the snack supper.

It is the prayer of the church training leaders that the new associational year will produce greater fruits for our Lord as the people take advantage of opportunities to train themselves for dedicated service.

Respectfully submitted,  
Justus McKeel



32 The report on the Cooperative Program was by Rev. B. C. Owenby.

### Cooperative Program Report

Increasing the percentage given through the Cooperative Program is an excellent follow-through for the special offerings your church receives.

Failure to have a good follow-through, in anything would be frustrating at the least and tragic at the most. Failure to have a good follow-through when you are fishing would cause all of your fish to get away and this would be frustrating. It would be tragic not to have a good follow-through in a baptismal service.

A good follow-through is the lifeline between good planning and good results. You will get excellent results if you plan well your special offerings and let your major emphasis be on the lifeline: YOUR COOPERATIVE PROGRAM.

Would your church give more if you received more money? If so, you need to have a thorough stewardship program in your church.

Last year, 1,138 churches increased Cooperative Program giving by 10 percent or more over what they gave the previous year. Four of the associations in North Carolina has 100 percent of their churches giving through the Cooperative Program in 1972. These four associations were: Anson, Flat River, Tar River, and Yates.

Will you do four things?

1. Will you lead the church where you serve to increase Cooperative Program and associational mission giving by 10 percent or more?
2. Will you have a special prayer for your missionaries and other Cooperative Program causes during each service in your church during the October Cooperative Program prayer month?
3. Will you send your check for Cooperative Program *each month* to Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, P. O. Box 26508, Raleigh, N. C. 27611?
4. Will you help us have a good *stewardship workshop* in your association next spring or summer, so we can: (1) Study recommendations for pastor and staff salary increases; (2) Get an overview of available program helps for each church in stewardship; and (3) Receive a report on where you are in *your goals* for associational and Cooperative Program giving?

Respectfully submitted,  
B. C. Owenby

33 Clyde Stutts, pastor of Clear View, spoke to the report.

34 Bro. Gus Cain, interim pastor at Oakhurst, speaking for the Annuity Board.

35 Bro. Joe Stroud, Secretary of Department of Church Music of the State Association for 17 years, was presented at this time.

36 The Christian Education report was presented by Rev. Andrew Grose.



37 Speaking to the report was Reginald G. Dawkins, pastor of Liberty First.

## Christian Education Report

### *Churches and Colleges Working Together*

In North Carolina, Baptist churches and Baptist Colleges enjoy a supportive partnership. It is still true that most of our pastors, missionaries, church staff members and denominational leaders are educated in Baptist colleges. Another outstanding example of church-college cooperation is the Baptist Youth Corps, which provided dedicated student leadership for more than eighty North Carolina Baptist churches during the summer of 1973. On campus, the college presidents interpret to the faculty and staff that our churches and colleges play important, complementary roles in the Christian missionary enterprise.

### *Cooperative Program*

Your North Carolina Baptist colleges continue to be grateful for the support which comes through the Cooperative Program. During 1973, more than two million dollars will be given to support Christian higher education. Your colleges share this support as follows:

Campbell College -----	\$ 340,721
Chowan College -----	212,951
Gardner-Webb College -----	249,153
Mars Hill College -----	296,002
Meredith College -----	296,002
Wake Forest University -----	517,471
Wingate College -----	217,210
	<u>\$2,129,510</u>

### *The Importance of Baptist Students*

The colleges make a special effort to recruit North Carolina Baptist students. In fact, no qualified student is turned down in any of our colleges because of inability to pay. The churches help to make this possible through the Cooperative Program and the Baptist College Scholarship Offering on Father's Day. Baptist colleges stress the importance of the individual student and are anxious to enroll the youth from our churches who plan to attend college. Churches can help their students and their colleges by encouraging interested young people to apply for enrollment in one of the seven North Carolina Baptist colleges.

### *Council on Christian Higher Education*

Since 1945, the cooperative efforts and relationships of North Carolina Baptist colleges have been coordinated by the Council on Christian Higher Education of the Baptist State Convention. The Council office is eager to assist both the churches and the colleges as together they help to create persons and a world as Christ would have them.

Respectfully submitted,  
Andrew P. Grose

38 Hymn No. 286 — "O God, Our Help in Ages Past." led by Mr. Carl King with Jimmy Edwards at the piano.

39 In the absence of Neal Cockerham, Bro. Tom Patterson presented the report on Temperance and Morals.

### Temperance and Morals Report

A great many people today approach from the negative side of the matter of how men shall achieve goodness. Eight of the Ten Commandments are phrased in the negative. It seems to be easier for us to think of our religious and moral duties and activities in terms of "Thou shalt not." We have come to the time when absence of evident wrong is accepted as a mark of goodness.

Jesus places emphasis on the positive. In the Sermon on the Mount he declares that he has come to fulfill the law and the prophets (Matt. 5:17-48). His positive approach to morality and religion is clearly seen in his words to the lawyer, "This do, and thou shalt live" (Luke 10:28).

Jesus' words and actions show that the perfect life is one filled with good deeds and love. He even goes so far as to say, "Do good to them that hate you" (Matt. 5:44).

To merit Christ's approval, it is necessary to be more than negatively good. Vividly, in the parable of the empty house (Matt. 12:43-45) he indicates the danger of negative goodness.

In Christianity, the sin of omission may be as great as the sin of commission. James writes, "Therefore to him that knoweth to do good, and doeth it not, to him it is sin" (James 4:17). There are times when it is a sin to be silent.

"Silence is golden", says a well-known proverb. Many of us are quick to say, "What the other man does is none of my business." There is truth in both statements.

There are times, however, when we cannot afford to be silent, when we must speak up for what is right. When the Pharisees asked Jesus to rebuke his disciples, he replied, "If these shall hold their peace, the stones will cry out" (Luke 19:40 ASV).

The infection of morality is a dangerous disease of society. It comes in ways that are hard to counteract. Law enforcement officials, judges, criminologists, psychologists, and other authorities are almost unanimous in their opinion that cheap, lurid, sensational magazines are pouring a flood of filth into the minds of the young people of our country. The results are being totaled every day in crime and juvenile delinquency.

Advertising slowly but surely wears away the resistance to alcoholic beverages. Carefully planted news stories of the enormous tax income from gambling undermine the thinking of the public. In many other ways the moral fiber of the people is being infected.

Shall Christians stand by silently while the whole nation is saturated with such poison? Shall we say it is none of our business?

We Christians, in November, will have a chance to vote on one of the greatest evils of our time — liquor by the drink.

**WILL WE REMAIN SILENT?**

**WILL WE SAY LET THE OTHER FELLOW DO IT?**

It is my sincere opinion if the bill is passed, **THE CHURCH WILL DO IT.**

Respectfully submitted,  
Neal J. Cockerham

40 Rev. H. C. Neathery presented the report on Christian Literature.

### Christian Literature Report

Our Baptist literature, like everything else, is in a constant state of change. Every year many periodicals are dropped, many added and many are revised in order to meet the needs of our Baptist constituency in this ever changing age. In the educational, scientific, business and technological world, it is a common saying that change is the key to progress. We believe the same is true in the religious realm of life providing change is not more rapid than people are able to adjust to.

While God's truth is unchangeable and eternal, our life situation is constantly changing and the methods of teaching the truth and applying it to our situation are ever changing; hence, the necessity for constant change in our literature.

Indications are that our literature of the future will continue to be biblically based. A motion was made at the 1972 Philadelphia Convention urging all writers of Southern Baptist literature to use scripture in all published materials pertaining to "salvation, the church, and the Christian life." This was referred to the trustees of the Sunday School Board who promised that such a policy would be followed and that the Bible will continue to be exalted as the book of God's revelation, and to the best of its ability the Board will continue to seek with all diligence to get the Bible known, read and heeded by all men, using many different means to do so. Through curriculum materials in 1973, the Board has given strong support to the Southern Baptist Convention Theme, "Living the Spirit of Christ in Expectancy and Creativity". It will continue the policy of furnishing free literature to all Southern Baptist Churches starting new Sunday Schools and Church Training Unions, for the first quarter.

In the past year Broadman introduced 275 new products and dropped 230 old products during the same period. The massive Broadman Commentary publishing project has been completed with the exception of Volume I which was ordered revised. Dr. Clyde T. Francisco was enlisted as the writer for the revision of the Genesis portion of Volume I which is scheduled for publication in 1973.

The Church Training Department during the past year has been busy. Its major emphasis has been upon growth and training church members to witness. Materials edited for this purpose include twenty-five periodicals, twelve supplementary or Program Help items, and fifteen Convention press items. WIN materials were revised and several new items were added.

The Foreign Mission Board also put out its share of literature through the publication section of the Department of Missionary-Education which published booklets, pamphlets, maps, the Foreign Mission Graded Series study books and publication of the *Commission*. After a downward trend for several years the *Commission's* circulation began leveling off at about mid-year 1972. A goal was set for 1973 to increase the circulation from about 70,000 to 100,000.

The Home Mission Board continued its work in the production of graded mission study books, photo journalism and the Home Missions magazine. The trend is toward a balance in evangelism and social action.

The Brotherhood Commission was also active in the publication field. In the past year it edited seven curricular magazines, four mission graded series teaching guides, and prepared guidance materials for

observance of Cooperative Program Day, Baptist Men's Day, and Royal Ambassador Week in churches.

The WMU leaders deserve much credit and high praise for their superb publications. Among their excellent periodicals are three quarterly magazines: *Dimension* for Woman's Missionary Union officers, *Aware* for Girls in Action, leaders and *Start* for Mission Friends leaders; and four monthly magazines: *Royal Service* for Baptist women, *Contempo* for Baptist Young Women, *Accent* for members of Acteens, and *Discovery* for members of Girls in Action and a leader edition for Acteen leaders.

In our great array of literature, least but not last, are our Baptist state papers. There are many factors in the organic life of the convention which make possible intelligent cooperation. But very high on the list of such is the ministry of our Baptist state papers, which disseminate information regarding the widespread programs of the agencies and institutions of the Southern Baptist Convention. We take great pride in our state paper the *Biblical Recorder*, and its very competent editor, Mr. Marse Grant, who is ever sensitive and alert to the moral evils of the day and ever urging people to take a firm stand against them and to stand for that which is right in public life. May his tribe continue to increase until Christ comes again.

Respectfully submitted,  
H. C. Neathery

41 The Annuity Report was presented by Mr. Carl King.

## Annuity Report

The Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention this year added new benefits or increased benefits for most active and retired pastors, church staff members and denominational workers it serves.

For annuitants (retirees, widows and disabled persons) on the roll December 31, 1972, monthly income checks have been permanently increased by 6 per cent. Just before Christmas, 1972, more than 7,000 annuitants received "13th Checks" amounting to the size of two extra months' benefits. The "13th Checks" are paid in addition to the regular monthly payments.

Participants in Plans A-10, A-11 and A-25 on January 1, 1973 had their accrued credits increased by 10 percent in "good experience credit," and Plan B participants received an additional interest credit based on the Board's good experience on its investments. In addition, the Board approved (subject to action by state conventions) an increase in widow benefits under Plan to 50 per cent of the potential or actual retirement benefit; previously it was 40 percent. This increase applies to those retiring January 1, 1973 and thereafter.

At the same time, a temporary income benefit under Plan A was established for a widow, child, or dependent parent of those who die before early or normal retirement, or after disability retirement, and who have met the required participation. The temporary income benefit can amount, at maximum, to \$333.33 per month for 36 months (or a total of \$12,000.00) if the participant died before age 40. The length of payment of the benefit decreases with the age at death. This benefit is payable to those who died January 1, 1973 or thereafter.

More than 9,000 insurance policyholders transferred from the previous Health Benefit Plan with Blue Cross-Blue Shield to the new plan begun January 1, 1973 with Aetna Life Insurance Company.



The Board reported several records for its operations in 1972. Funds held in trust for over 38,000 participants in retirement plans passed \$300 million for the first time. Investment income reached a new high for 1972 of more than \$22 million. Retirement and other protection benefits paid out for the 12-month period surpassed \$10 million for the first time.

The total amount of money paid in "13th Checks" exceeded one million dollars, also for the first time. Good investment results in 1972 on funds held to pay benefits account for this dividend.

Income from premiums and dues topped \$30 million, another record.

Information on the Annuity Board may be secured by writing Development Office, Annuity Board, SBC, 511 North Akard Building, Dallas, Texas 75201.

As of June 1, 1973 there were 24 churches in the Association participating in the retirement program. Will you lead your church to join in the Protection Plan.

Respectfully submitted,  
Carl King

42 Rev. W. A. Gillett presented the Report on Evangelism.

### **Evangelism Report**

"SHARING CHRIST NOW" was the theme of the 27th Statewide Evangelism Conference at Oven Auditorium, Charlotte, February 5-7, 1973. Over 2,400 pastors and lay persons were challenged by outstanding speakers to lead their people to become more involved in the work of evangelism. The closing session on Wednesday, February 7, was held at Pritchard Memorial Church, with an emphasis on prayer and personal renewal.

The Division of Evangelism has encouraged churches to participate in KEY 73. One hundred and fifty denominations are sharing in this evangelistic effort. The purpose of KEY is to unite all Christians in the task of evangelism and to enable Christians to confront every person in the United States and Canada with the Gospel of Christ.

It is thrilling what the Holy Spirit is doing through the ministry of our first state summer youth evangelism team. Three college students — Steve Stout, Cooleemee; Terry Crouse, Lenoir; and Christy Farrior, Williamston; are leading in music, preaching in youth revivals, and directing youth witness training sessions in churches from Marshall to Washington.

The response of youth and adults to Lay Evangelism Schools in the past twenty-two months has been outstanding. At least 9,564 youth and adults have participated in this lay witness training from 720 churches and 34 associations. Also, 107 pastors from nine associations shared in a Pastor's Retreat to learn how to lead their churches in Lay Evangelism Schools. Randolph Association held our school October 8-11.

The 28th Statewide Evangelism Conference will be at War Memorial Auditorium, Greensboro, during February 4-6, 1974.

Let us thank God for the excellent reports of revival meetings, city-wide crusades, and evangelism clinics. Remember to pray for the TOGETHER WE ADVANCE emphasis that we may strive to attain a 10% increase in baptisms, Cooperative Program gifts, Bible Study enrollment and Associational Missions gifts. This can be one of the greatest years ever in outreach for North Carolina and Randolph Association. Let us each do our part.

Respectfully submitted,  
William A. Gillett



43 The Baptist Homes for Aging report was presented by Willard Singletary.

### **Baptist Homes For The Aging**

One of the most meaningful things that you do as a Baptist is the share that you have in the ministry of your North Carolina Baptist Homes for the Aging. As you look back with us upon the twenty-two years of this ministry, and the last year in particular, there are distinctive blessings that we would like to call to your mind and heart.

In the first place, there is no greater realization that we can have together than the awareness of the fact that this special ministry to older people is a venture faith in God. It always has been. We hope that it always will be. God has brought us from one home to five resident homes, with two located in Winston-Salem (Resthaven and the Hayes Home), and one each in Albemarle, Hamilton and Yanceyville. These homes have a capacity for 162 residents, and there is a Nursing Care Unit in Winston-Salem, with a capacity for 63 patients, and serving all of the Homes' residents when nursing care is needed. Four out of every five persons who come to us in our Homes for the Aging are persons whose income is very limited. They look to you, through your love gifts, for a supplement to their care, and all of us look to the Lord continually for His great love. This, therefore, is a venture of faith.

Never forget this is your ministry, on behalf of Christ, to older persons and that they simply could not be ministered unto without your love gifts. Specifically, during the past year, through your gifts, you contributed \$185 a month for the care of the majority of the residents in your five Baptist Homes. Through the Special Offering you contributed 20% of the total income of the Homes, and through the Co-operative Program, you gave 10% of the total budget needed. The tie that binds this ministry to the hearts of our Baptist people and our Baptist Churches is a very special one and a very distinctive one indeed.

Be glad also for the fact that your love gifts make possible quality care. It has often been said of the ministry of our Baptist Homes that there is no finer care that an older person can receive this side of Heaven than the care given in our Homes for the Aging. Everything that we do for Christ should be this way, and we are certainly trying to give Him our best day by day in our ministry to the older people in our care. There is someone serving around the clock, watching over the residents and patients even as they sleep. One of our Supervisors, or "Mothers" as they are often called was given the name of "Guardian Angel," when a resident, during an illness discovered later that the "Mother" was keeping vigil just outside her door.

God bless you for your share in this ministry to the Aging, which is both special and distinctive. Pray for us, come to see us, and continue to support this ministry as liberally and loyally in the future as you have in the past.

Respectfully submitted,  
Willard Singletary

44 The Children's Homes Report was presented by T. W. Nelson.

### **Children's Homes Report**

"But Jesus said, Let the children come to me and do not hinder them." Matthew 19:14a.

Since 1885 when the first child was admitted to what is now Mills Home, North Carolina Baptists have had a tender spot in their hearts for the work of our children's home, and they have increased their efforts to other areas of our state, in order that more children can know love and security.

This annual report finds our agency still pursuing its duties toward the perpetual care of our child care program. Each year special needs of the children are added to the work of our agency, such as borderline retardation, emotional disturbances, which includes emotional alienation from family, and often trouble with the court. Baptist Children's Homes are committed to quality care which serves the whole child and will enable him to develop to his full potential. Each year our Children's Homes continue to expand with greater spiritual guidance to the children and their families, also with greater physical improvements.

We believe this ministry of child care deserves the confidence and support of North Carolina Baptists. Our Baptist friends have demonstrated through their interest and support that they believe in what they are doing. The Cooperative Program continues to be the lifeblood of our financial support. The 1972 Thanksgiving Offering channeled a generous amount of support into our ministry of child care. Special gifts and bequests from individuals continue to provide for capital improvements.

Each N. C. Baptist needs to pledge his support to continue this ministry of child care in the name of Christ and that we in Randolph Association continue to pray for our workers in our Children's Homes across our state and give generously to our Thanksgiving Offering in 1973.

45 The Rev. John Jackson presented the Baptist Hospital report.

46 Speaking to the report was Mrs. Ruby Greenlaw, administrative Assistant at Baptist Hospital.

### **Baptist Hospital Report**

In May of this year Baptist Hospital observed its 50th Anniversary, having opened its doors in May, 1923 "to bring the healing art more definitely under the dominion of The Great Healer." The anniversary was celebrated jointly with the dedication of the new 16 story Reynolds Tower. Baptist Hospital is now in the top 10 per cent (in size) among hospitals in the United States with a total bed capacity of 717.

Construction has begun on an ambulatory care building which will house the emergency room, several outpatient clinics, the Physical Therapy Department, and an Oncology (Cancer) Clinic and Research Laboratories. This building and renovation of older sections of the hospital will complete the present Medical Center Development Program.

A Medical Center Committee, composed of 8 Trustees from the Baptist Hospital Board and 8 from Wake Forest University Board, has been appointed. This committee will consider matters involving the Medical Center and its future operation.

In January the Hospital Trustees appointed a committee of three to review appropriations from the Mother's Day fund and assist hospital personnel in making decisions on some specific requests for assistance. The hospital continues to provide care for people who cannot pay, valued at far in excess of the total Mother's Day Offering. The auditors' confirmed value of this care in 1972 was \$1,390,000 — nearly four times the amount of the Mother's Day Offering — and this does not include the value of physicians service, provided without cost to these patients.

The Department of Pastoral Care is expanding its services to provide training for lay people. The Department also anticipates the establishment of several counseling and training centers in the state,

beginning in the near future. Cooperative Program gifts support the work of this department.

The Hospital's financial operation is "in the black", and there has not been a general room rate increase in 2½ years. As of this date, the Mother's Day Offerings are running ahead of last year.

Respectfully submitted,  
John L. Jackson

47 The Doctrinal Sermon was at this time by Rev. Albert Taylor, pastor at Deep River.

Adjourn for lunch.

### Wednesday Afternoon Session

48 Hymn No. 41 — "To God Be The Glory" led by Carl King, with Jimmy Brower at the piano.

49 Scripture and prayer by Bro. James Wall, pastor at Sandy Creek.

50 West Asheboro Baptist were received into the Full Fellowship of the Association.

51 The report on Memorials was presented by Rev. Bob Hughes.

### Memorials

Today we pause in reverence as we pay tribute to more than 68 persons that have passed from our midst since we last met in our annual associational meeting. There is a lonely place left, but we rejoice in their memory with thanksgiving for their contributions. May we join together, standing together in silent prayer, in tribute to those who have answered the call of their names. Brother L. J. Rainey will lead an audible prayer to close the period.

Respectfully submitted,  
R. L. Hughes  
L. J. Rainey

#### Antioch

Rev. Ollie D. Brim, Pastor

#### Asbury

Mr. Edgar Cagle

#### Asheboro, First

Mark Clark

Mr. E. S. Millsaps

Mr. W. Thomas Wilson

Mrs. Obey Campbell

Mr. Nolan Burrows

Mr. Gilbert C. McCain

Terrie Leigh Craven

Mr. Henry C. Luther

Mrs. Hattie Straughan

Mr. J. H. Wrape

Dr. Walter Grimsley

Mr. Charlie Byrd

#### Balfour

Mrs. Wanda Brady

Mrs. J. C. Pearce

Mrs. F. L. Burns

**Beulah**

Mr. Johnny Powers  
Mrs. Annie Caviness  
Miss Fannie Caviness  
Mrs. Florence Caviness

**Calvary**

Mr. Fletcher Boggs

**Central Falls**

Mr. Frank Beck  
Mrs. Frank Beck  
Mr. Harold Williams  
Mr. Cleveland Kennedy, Deacon

**Deep River**

Mr. Lee Cox  
Mr. Frank Johnson

**Franklinville**

Mrs. Ethel Pugh  
Mr. Harry Davis  
Mr. David Pugh  
Mr. Russell Grose

**Glenola**

Mrs. Pat Sykes Denham

**Gravel Hill**

Mr. Manley C. Hogan  
Mrs. Frances Lanier Garner

**Greystone**

Mr. Lester Lineberry

**Hughes Grove**

Mrs. Margie Workman

**Huldah**

Mrs. Ellen Green  
Mrs. Merle Graves

**Liberty, First**

Mrs. B. M. Brower

**Macedonia**

Mrs. Lorraine Brothers  
Mrs. Iris Jenkins

**Mt. Lebanon**

Mrs. Corinna Phillips  
Mr. Randal Hurley

**Mt. Pleasant**

Mrs. Lucy Whitt

**Oakhurst**

Mr. T. F. Frye  
Mr. Jacob Freeman

**Ramseur, First**

Mr. Talmadge Wright  
Mr. Sam L. Bagwell  
Miss Nora Caviness  
Mr. Elsie Chriscoe  
Mr. Ambrose Caviness

**Randleman, First**

Mr. F. L. Presnell  
Mrs. C. B. Wise

**Richland**

Mr. Fred Bullins  
Mr. Tillman L. Kiser

**Riverside**

Mr. Earl Asbill  
Mr. Elmer Ritter

**Sandy Creek**

Mrs. Savannah Swaim

**Scphia**

Mr. Wayne Bennett

**Union Grove**

Mrs. Thelma Garner Hancock  
Mrs. Murtie Cagle  
Mrs. Madie Dunlap  
Mrs. Ida Reeder  
Mrs. Jane Williamson

**Westfield**

Mrs. Bessie Summey

**Forest Park**

Mrs. Evelyn Lanier

**Shady Grove**

Mrs. Mattie Williamson

## Record of Receipts

Antioch	\$ 118.00
Armfield Heights	378.67
Asbury	120.00
Asheboro, First	2,550.00
Balfour	1,161.00
Beulah	300.00
Calvary	90.00
Caraway	180.00
Cedar Falls	318.00
Center Cross	87.00
Central Falls	235.00
Clear View	192.24
Cool Springs	- 0 -
Deep River	300.00
Fayetteville Street	- 0 -
Forest Park	326.00
Franklinville	1,068.00
Glenola	271.97
Gravel Hill	217.20
Greystone	586.65
High Rock	5.00
Hughes Grove	- 0 -
Huldah	390.00
Jackson Creek	75.00
Liberty, First	750.00
Macedonia	481.46
Maple Spring	182.00
Mt. Lebanon	330.00
Mt. Pleasant	420.00
Oakhurst	1,170.00
Oakwood Park	180.00
Panther Creek	60.00
Ramseur, First	1,069.00
Randleman, First	1,010.00
Red Cross	- 0 -
Richland	120.00
Riverside	120.00
Russell's Grove	1,508.58
Sandy Creek	165.00
Shady Grove	25.00
Union Grove	870.00
West Asheboro	61.21
Westfield	10.00
White's Memorial	15.00
Seagrove, First	120.00
Sophia	236.00
State Convention	676.00
Sales tax refund	93.54
Worthville	120.00
Telephone calls	19.07
Total Receipts For Year	\$18,781.59



# Suggested Goals For 1974

	1974 Monthly	1974 Annually
Antioch -----	\$ 10.00	120.00
Armfield Heights -----	25.00	300.00
Asbury -----	30.00	360.00
Asheboro, First -----	200.00	2,400.00
Balfour -----	100.00	1,200.00
Beulah -----	60.00	720.00
Calvary -----	15.00	180.00
Caraway -----	15.00	180.00
Cedar Falls -----	15.00	180.00
Central Falls -----	25.00	300.00
Center Cross -----	15.00	180.00
Clear View -----	25.00	300.00
Cool Springs -----	10.00	120.00
Deep River -----	30.00	360.00
Fayetteville Street -----	35.00	420.00
Franklinville -----	65.00	780.00
Forest Park -----	20.00	240.00
Glenola -----	35.00	420.00
Gravel Hill -----	15.00	180.00
Greystone -----	50.00	600.00
High Rock -----	10.00	120.00
Hughes Grove -----	10.00	120.00
Huldah -----	25.00	300.00
Jackson Creek -----	10.00	120.00
Liberty, First -----	60.00	720.00
Macedonia -----	35.00	420.00
Maple Springs -----	25.00	300.00
Mt. Lebanon -----	35.00	420.00
Mt. Pleasant -----	35.00	420.00
Oakhurst -----	90.00	1,080.00
Oakwood Park -----	20.00	240.00
Panther Creek -----	5.00	60.00
Ramseur, First -----	80.00	960.00
Randleman, First -----	80.00	960.00
Red Cross -----	10.00	120.00
Riverside -----	20.00	240.00
Richland -----	10.00	120.00
Russell's Grove -----	100.00	1,200.00
Sandy Creek -----	15.00	180.00
Seagrove, First -----	10.00	120.00
Shady Grove -----	15.00	180.00
Sophia -----	20.00	240.00
Union Grove -----	70.00	840.00
West Asheboro -----	10.00	120.00
Westfield -----	10.00	120.00
White's Memorial -----	15.00	180.00
Worthville -----	10.00	120.00
Total Suggested Goals for 1974 -----	\$ 1,630.00	\$19,560.00

52 Mrs. Roy H. McNeill presented the report of the Committee on Appreciation.

### Committee On Appreciation

To each of our wonderful pastors and Rev. Talmadge Smith, our Supt. of Missions, and dear brother in Christ, we praise God for you and for the way you have led us this year. Our prayer is that as we enter a new year we will all seek God's will for our individual lives and our churches that we may reach more people for Jesus.

These two wonderful days are the results of much labor, planning and prayer and we praise God for the wonderful results. The messages, the well prepared committee reports, and the music have been a blessing to each of us.

To our host churches, Glenola and Liberty First, thank you so much for the refreshments and the meal. We know how much work went into this just to make our fellowship sweeter.

We, the messengers of the 39th annual session of the Randolph Baptist Association express our deepest appreciation to our Moderator, Clerk and everyone who made these days a success. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. Carl King, Ch.  
Mrs. Roy H. McNeill

53 Rev. R. T. Smith, field worker for the Association, presented his report at this time.

### Report Of Field Worker

Days on field -----	338
Days away -----	27
Sermons preached -----	76
Other talks -----	12
Taught Sunday School -----	6
Conducted Prayer Meetings -----	8
Study Courses Taught -----	6
Conferences with Individuals -----	1,410
Conferences with Groups -----	151
Conferences with Committees -----	14
State Meetings Attended -----	6
Churches Visited in the Association -----	33
Pieces of mail sent out ---- more than -----	8,000
Miles traveled -----	18,238
Professions of faith -----	10
Additions to Church -----	6
Weddings Performed -----	2

Respectfully submitted,  
R. T. Smith

54 Message by Rev. R. T. Smith.

Motion to adjourn.

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION										YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1972									
Association										(Month & Day)									
Site										N. C.									
Associational Clerk										State									
Address										City									
P.O. Box 1005										Zip									
CHURCHES										27203									
Pastors & Addresses (Include ZIP Code)										Year organized as a church									
Location										Services on Sunday?									
Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)										Members lost (by letter, statement, etc.)									
Present resident members										Grand total present members									
No. members received from non-Baptist churches										Value of pastor's home if owned by the church									
Baptist Churches										Value of church property including pastor's home									
No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches										Total church debt at end of this associational year									
Antioch										1,089									
Clyde C. Dawkins P.O. Box 636, Asheboro	Randolph	1958	1	X	4	2	3	145	45	50	0	0	23,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.C. Dewberry P.O. Box 636, Asheboro	Randolph	1941	7	X	7	8	8	132	0	132	1	0	92,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bernie L. Kness Route 2, Seagrave	Mont.	1926	1	X	8	5	2	238	28	266	1	1	180,000	13,933	0	0	0	0	0
J.B. Gibson P.O. Box 936, Asheboro	Randolph	1902	5	X	18	25	38	898	305	1203	0	0	900,000	1,900	0	0	0	0	0
G. T. Patterson 1702 N. Fayetteville St., Asheboro	Randolph	1931	6	X	29	19	21	149	71	520	3	6	15,000	180,000	0	0	0	0	0
Curtis Harbery Route 2, Bennett	Randolph	1902	1	X	5	7	22	167	50	517	0	0	50,000	592,000	87,831	0	0	0	0
Claude Johnson P.O. Box 116, Boldston	Randolph	1953	3	X	0	1	4	18	14	62	0	0	58,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
W. E. Eaton P.O. Box 187, Cedar Falls	Randolph	1888	1	X	1	4	3	60	60	120	0	0	30,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robert H. Hunsucker 512 Bruce Hill Road, Asheboro	Randolph	1844	2	X	5	3	5	119	15	134	0	0	11,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
John C. Mangum Box 306, Central Falls	Randolph	1893	1	X	5	4	0	74	18	122	0	0	18,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clyde Stutts Route 1, Franklinville	Randolph	1893	4	X	14	8	6	298	83	381	0	0	25,000	200,000	0	0	0	0	0
Albert Taylor Box 11, Coleridge	Randolph	1957	2	X	17	4	2	75	18	123	0	0	25,000	93,000	14,157	0	0	0	0
William E. Slate 321 McKnight Street, Asheboro	Randolph	1894	1	X	0	4	4	201	75	276	0	1	35,000	60,000	17,113	0	0	0	0
M. A. Peggan P.O. Box 11, Franklinville	Randolph	1964	3	X	7	7	7	138	18	156	0	2	15,000	35,000	7,130	0	0	0	0
P. E. Baucum Route 3, Denton	Randolph	1887	3	X	4	2	10	179	151	330	0	0	30,000	185,000	57,765	0	0	0	0
James P. Grose 855 Cavestone Road	Randolph	1914	2	X	3	8	10	169	139	308	0	1	20,000	175,000	25,500	0	0	0	0
Robert S. Spry 803 Wright Avenue, Kannapolis	Randolph	1901	1	X	2	1	4	135	27	162	0	0	7,000	22,000	0	0	0	0	0
John W. Wheeler Route 2, Thomasville	Randolph	1951	6	X	13	29	7	184	35	219	4	2	25,000	130,000	8,000	0	0	0	0
Steve Welborn Route 14, Asheboro	Randolph	1941	1	X	4	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,000	0	0	0	0	0
Tommy Walls Route 14, Box 22, Lexington	Randolph	1932	2	X	17	18	4	220	6	226	8	1	26,000	166,000	55,000	0	0	0	0
Reginald G. Hawkins P.O. Box 615, Liberty	Randolph	1896	1	X	4	5	5	188	36	224	0	1	25,000	75,000	8,200	0	0	0	0
Norman L. Livengood, Sr. Route 2, Liberty	Randolph	1954	1	X	7	0	0	25	32	51	0	0	-	-	-	0	0	0	0
Charles Stevens Seagrave	Randolph	1886	3	X	0	5	10	226	68	294	0	3	30,000	120,000	0	0	0	0	0
Maple Springs	Randolph	1880	1	X	2	9	5	233	22	255	0	1	19,000	200,000	79,522	0	0	0	0
	Randolph	1888	1	X	0	2	8	100	22	122	0	4	10,000	50,000	4,320	0	0	0	0









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TABLE D. CHURCH MUSIC		YEAR ENDING 9-30-1973		84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95
Association		(Month & Day)													
Randolph															
North Carolina															
Associational Music Director															
Address															
Route 5															
City															
State															
N. C.															
Zip															
27203															
MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)															
CHURCHES															
Antioch	Mrs. Lillie M. Craven	27203		0	3	3	3	2	1	0	1	15	33	20	1
	Route 4, Box 201, Asheboro														
Armfield Heights	Mrs. Cynthia Wilson	27203		0	20	15	18	0	0	0	3	0	56	40	0
	Route 1, Asheboro														
Asbury	Bobby J. Maness	27341													
	Route 2, Seagrave														
	Route 2, Jackson														
Asheboro, First	456 Lindsay, Asheboro	27203		18	40	50	30	20	0	0	2	0	160	150	0
	Jay Steelmon														
Balfour	282 Harvest Circle, Asheboro	27203													
	Nolan Jackson														
Beulah	Route 2, Bennett	27208		50	45	48	48	0	6	0	3	0	200	190	0
	Bobby Poole														
Calvary	Route 2, Box 37, Asheboro	27203													
	Route 2, Clinton														
Caraway	Route 1, Sophia	27350													
	George Saunders														
Cedar Falls	Route 2, Box 364, Randleman	27317													
	Leverette Strider														
Center Cross	Route 5, Asheboro	27203													
	Walter M. Strider														
Central Falls	Box 7, Asheboro	27203		5	8	7	30	0	5	2	3	0	54	35	0
	Mrs. Audrey Nanco														
Clear View	Route 1, Box 205, Franklinville	27248		0	3	2	14	0	0	0	4	0	29	25	0
	Cleo Goin														
Deep River	Route 1, Box 168, Ransau	27316													
	Carl L. King														
Forest Park	125 Oak Lane, Randleman	27317		0	13	10	14	0	0	0	3	0	40	28	0
Franklinville	David Wayne Trotter			0	0	10	23	0	0	0	2	0	35	25	0
	Route 1, Box 265, Sophia	27350		4	6	7	22	0	4	0	5	0	48	33	0
	Paul Gagle														
Gravel Hill	Route 3, Denton	27239													
	Bill McIlvaine, Route 5, Asheboro	27203													
Greystone															
High Rock	Max Small	27203				14	14	0	0	0	1	0	29	20	0
	Route 2, Asheboro														
	Steve Gallimore														
Hughes Grove	Route 2, Thomasville	27360		0	15	16	30	0	2	4	2	0	69	45	0
	Lewis Thomas														
Huldh	Route 4, Asheboro	27203		0	0	10	20	0	0	0	4	0	39	18	0
	Mrs. Ronald Grubb														
Jackson Creek	Route 1, Trinity	27350													
	Pike Johnson														
Liberty, First	P.O. Box 926, Liberty	27298		0	10	20	14	0	0	0	0	0	44	26	0
	Maxine Livengood														
Macedonia	Route 2, Liberty	27298		0	10	8	18	0	0	0	2	0	38	16	0

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State  
North Carolina  
Associational Brotherhood Director

Address  
1702 North Fayetteville

City  
G. T. Patterson

State  
N. C.

Zip  
27203

CHURCHES

Brotherhood Directors & Addresses (include zip code)

Armfield Heights  
Ashboro, First  
Balfour  
Central Falls  
Clear View  
Forest Park  
Greystone  
Hughes Grove  
Liberty, First  
Mount Pleasant  
Oakhurst  
Randelman, First  
Russell's Grove  
Sophia  
Union Grove

Stanley Haywood  
Apri. 20-Hf Kingsway Crossing, Ashboro  
W. I. Applewhite  
Route 1, Box 454-A, Ashboro  
Neal Cockorham  
447 E. Kivett, Ashboro  
Joe Brantley  
Route 6, Ashboro  
Ervin Nance  
Route 1, Franklinville  
Wade Snider  
317 Pineview Street, Ashboro  
J. H. Anderson  
Route 4, Inwood Road, Ashboro  
Wayne Taylor  
Route 3, Thomasville  
J. T. Martin  
P.O. Box 366, Liberty  
James Adkins  
Route 1, Liberty  
Robert Ausley  
362 Hawthorne Drive, Ashboro  
Giles Lamb  
204 Reynolds Road, Randelman  
Edward King  
Route 5, Ashboro  
Cecil Faircloth  
Route 1, Sophia  
Clinton McNeill  
Westland Drive, Seagrave

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TABLE 6. TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP		YEAR ENDING 9-30 (Month & Day)		19	20	21	22	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129	130
State Association	Churches	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		Number of tithees	Budget from or emphasis used during the year		Cooperative Program goal as percent of total budget	Total tithees, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during the year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
		City	State		None	Other											
Randolph	Antioch	Mrs. Dorothy Brim Route 4, Asheboro	27203	9	X		-	3,273	1,213	3,793	0	3,186	0	912	-	-	3,186
	Armfield Heights	Tom Johnson Route 4, Box 27, Asheboro	27203		X		10	21,789	68	21,858	0	15,340	0	0	1,448	2,261	19,049
	Asbury	Albert Brewer Route 2, Seagrove	27341	42	X		-	36,206	0	36,206	45,000	7,925	131,359	1,007	577	4,423	145,891
	Asheboro, First	Joe R. Aaron 933 Harding Road, Asheboro	27203	265	X		17	126,467	22,482	148,949	12,900	53,395	0	19,518	5,685	110,752	182,350
	Bal Four	L. D. Routh 721 Lee Street, Asheboro	27203				19	54,384	1,279	55,663	0	11,574	4,495	0	2,254	33,089	2,803
	Beulah	L. L. Purvis Route 2, Bennett	27208	204	X		5	144,123	0	144,123	100,000	32,482	156,941	19,169	2,000	17,008	220,690
	Calvary	Bobby Poole Route 33, Asheboro	27203	13	X		5	5,839	616	6,455	0	3,580	0	0	150	1,431	5,161
	Caraway	Neck Evans Cooper Route 1, Sorbia	27350				10	8,288	0	8,288	0	2,842	6,077	6,077	-	6,077	6,077
	Cedar Falls	Mrs. Charles Wood Route 1, Franklinsville	27248	14	X		5	12,868	300	13,167	2,000	3,880	0	0	307	3,408	7,595
	Center Cross	Miss Amanda Greene Route 5, Asheboro	27203	15	X			15,762	373	16,135	0	5,807	0	0	500	4,353	10,660
North Carolina	Central Falls	Claude Poole P.O. Box 274, Central Falls	27232	101	X	4		35,415	626	36,041	0	10,480	0	0	424	12,669	34,573
	Clear View	Jimmy R. Smith P.O. Box 245, Cedar Falls	27230		X	5	1	23,095	0	23,095	0	6,610	0	9,355	487	6,805	23,257
	Deep River	Jerry Atwood Asheboro	27203		X	12		24,884	0	24,884	0	8,905	0	0	873	1,016	10,794
	Forest Park	Reed Parris Box 13, Sophia	27350	60	X		9	22,550	115	22,665	0	3,986	0	1,178	900	5,431	11,495
	Franklinville	Lawrence Orose Route 6, Asheboro	27203	40	X	13	3	32,846	0	32,846	0	6,445	1,450	16,071	992	3,885	11,815
	Glenola	Protus Wood 4919 Wood Avenue, High Point	27263	67		4	1	28,712	0	28,712	0	7,700	0	5,200	865	7,600	21,365
	Gravel Hill	Mrs. Clara Hogan Route 3, Denton	27239	17	X			12,261	0	12,261	0	6,110	0	0	379	1,984	8,473
	Greystone	Henry Webster 229 Shamrock Road, Asheboro	27203	44	X	11	2	47,731	0	47,731	0	11,516	0	16,524	0	14,820	42,910
	High Rock	Mrs. Max Small Route 2, Asheboro	27203	-				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Hughes Grove	Thelma Bowers Route 3, Thomasville	27360	65				43,508	0	43,508	0	9,125	18,000	7,000	375	2,000	36,500
Asheboro	BulDAH	Wayne Thomas Route 4, Asheboro	27203		X	0	14	32,197	1,035	33,234	0	7,785	0	1,692	709	17,299	27,485
	Jackson Creek	Mrs. Clyde Scarlett Route 11, Box 105, Lexington	27292	16				7,150	0	7,150	0	2,177	0	0	230	200	430
	Liberty, First	P.O. Box 301-N, Liberty	27298	30		9	2	35,735	1,458	37,193	0	11,117	1,975	0	1,002	7,441	21,535
	Macedonia	Mrs. Grace Wolfe Route 2, Liberty	27298	30	X	8	2	36,306	124	36,430	0	10,301	0	16,222	754	7,768	34,781

State	North Carolina				TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)										CHURCHES				
Address	City	State	Zip	Associational Treasurer															
913 Shamrock Road	Asheboro	N. C.	27203	James R. Lane															
					Number of tithees										All other receipts				
					Name					Forward Program					Other				
					Percent of total budget					Cooperative Program goal as percent of total budget					Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts				
					Associational missions goal as percent of total budget					Total receipts					Money borrowed during the year				
					Church staff salaries					Money paid out on new construction during the year					Debt retirement during the year				
					Church literature					All other local expenditures					Total local expenditures				
Mount Lebanon	V. L. Gallicut	27203	22	X	13,611	0	13,611	0	4,500	23,558	0	418	4,118	32,594					
Boyd Poe	Route 5, Asheboro																		
Mount Pleasant	P.O. Box 725, Liberty	27298	28	X	8½	2	37,037	874	37,911	0	11,160	0	520	8,597					
Caryus Himes, Jr.	2138 Strickle Street, Asheboro	27203	60	X	10	1,91	57,802	0	57,802	0	17,052	0	1,714	23,767					
Oakview	Ollie Burke																		
Oakwood Park	Route 6, Box 66, Asheboro	27203	12	X	7	1½	13,548	0	13,548	0	2,400	2,587	1,410	633					
Malita Dixon	Route 4, Asheboro	27203	15	X			5,301	0	5,301	0	2,650	0	179	1,856					
Panther Creek	Boyt W. Clark																		
Rameur, First	P.O. Box 525, Rameur	27316	X		25	2½	38,045	5,039	43,084	0	16,258	0	3,645	6,437					
Randleman, First	Mrs. D.B. Hilliard, Sr.																		
Richland	Route 3, Box 514, Randlemans	27317	70		11	2	38,295	4,364	42,659	0	12,604	0	13,311	1,881					
Riverdale	Joseph L. Brown																		
Russell's Grove	406 Ridge Avenue, Asheboro	27203	18	X			22,000	0	22,000	0	6,760	1,645	0	387					
Sandy Creek	Edgar Garner																		
Seagrave, First	Route 1, Seagrave	27341	8	X			9,744	0	9,744	0	1,875	8,975	0	333					
Shady Grove	Mrs. W.M. Pope																		
Sophia	Route 5, Asheboro	27203	50	X	12	3	42,163	565	42,728	0	9,771	2,350	0	1,243					
Union Grove	Russell Routh																		
West Asheboro	Route 1, Liberty	27298	25	X	12	1	15,640	0	15,640	0	5,353	0	4,221	533					
Westfield	Mrs. Anne Cain																		
White's Memorial	Route 4, Box 325, Asheboro	27203	41	X			16,579	0	16,579	0	4,075	0	7,644	205					
Worthville	Vaughan York																		
	Route 1, Stanley	27355	28	X	3	½	18,444	0	18,444	0	4,006	0	11,385	296					
	Mrs. Carl Phillips																		
	Route 3, High Point	27263	54	X	8	8	32,253	1,058	33,311	0	12,193	0	3,204	835					
	Colon L. McNeill																		
	Route 2, Seagrave	27341	135	X	10	2	70,758	0	70,758	0	15,627	11,544	16,212	1,932					
	118, Mount																		
	1140 S. Park Drive, Asheboro	27203			4	1	8,598	85	8,683	0	2,525	0	2,433	345					
	Mrs. Ray Myers																		
	Route 1, Priddy	27370	4				200	150	350	0	1,240	-	0	71					
	Mrs. Helen Redding																		
	Route 1, Franklinville	27248	50	X			33,163	3,448	36,612	0	6,989	3,380	4,231	748					
	Box 1, Priddy																		
	Route 3, Randlemans	27317	39	X	16	2	12,197	0	12,197	0	6,690	0	0	0					

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES		YEAR ENDING <u>September 30 1973</u>	(Month & Day)
Association			

Randolph										Quantity & Cost							
Date	North Carolina			CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)			CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS			OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES							
OFFICES	Associational Superintendent of Missions (Associational Ministry)																
251 South Elm	City	State	Zip														
R. T. Smith	Asheboro	N. C.	27203														
CHURCHES																	
Antioch	Mrs. Lillie M. Craven	Route 4, Box 201, Asheboro	27203	0	0	1,850	Cooperative Program	Designated - State Missions	Designated - SBC Home Missions (incl. Amie Armstrong, Easter Offering)	Missions (incl. Love Meon Christmas offering)	Designated: Christian Education (schools, etc.)	Designated: Children's Homes (cash plus goods)	Designated: Hospitals	Designated: All other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	Total other missions cause expenditures	Grand Total	
Armfield Heights	Farrell Wilson	Route 1, Asheboro	27203	0	0	2,085	209	60	51	248	0	0	120	13	526	1,227	3,312
Asbury	Mrs. Bunice Hancock	Route 2, Seagrove	27341	0	0	120	120	0	0	889	0	300	125	173	0	1,607	1,727
Asheboro, First	Mrs. Dick Stratton	407 Harvest Circle, Asheboro	27203	0	0	20,687	2,550	821	1,328	4,034	94	523	857	726	340	11,323	39,010
Balfour	Lewis Pritchard	Route 1, Asheboro	27203	0	0	9,804	960	135	286	833	27	535	104	49	834	3,763	13,567
Bulah	Mrs. Betty L. Vaness	Route 21, Box 40-A, Bennett	27208	0	0	0	300	0	0	0	500	600	200	0	10,200	11,800	11,800
Calvary	Mrs. Gail F. Smith	Route 11, Box 56-A, Asheboro	27203	0	0	200	90	26	29	129	28	54	34	30	0	420	620
Caraway	Joyce King	Box 301, Middle Branch, High Point	27263	0	0	735	100	30	117	281	0	59	30	28	30	0	1,409
Cedar Falls	Miss Bertie King	Route 1, Franklinville	27248	0	0	545	144	22	10	316	25	25	52	5	26	625	1,170
Center Cross	Mrs. Clara Foote	Route 3, Asheboro	27201	0	0	200	87	106	100	900	0	416	357	60	252	2,278	2,478
Central Falls	Mrs. Audrey Nance	P.O. Box 274, Central Falls	27232	0	0	1,345	180	314	332	1,477	0	180	91	10	100	2,683	4,028
Clear View	Mrs. Robert Cogdon	Route 1, Franklinville	27248	0	0	239	164	28	416	1,240	0	0	46	0	7	1,901	2,140
Deep River	Mrs. Robert Cogdon	Box 89, Ramseur	27316	0	0	2,809	300	0	550	2,809	0	198	145	0	0	3,702	6,811
Forest Park	Mrs. Rena Davis	Box 111, Little St., Asheboro	27203	0	0	1,815	343	160	282	409	8	82	60	16	158	1,518	3,333
Franklinville	Mrs. Howard Saunders	P.O. Box 136, Franklinville	27248	0	0	4,274	1,050	462	321	980	30	370	223	60	248	3,744	8,018
Glenola	Miss Barbara Tucker	Route 2, Box 235, Trinity	27370	0	0	1,088	282	0	0	125	25	125	60	36	186	839	1,927
Gravel Hill	Mrs. Carolyn Crawford	Route 3, Box 43, Denton	27239	0	0	360	150	0	0	250	6	342	57	48	437	1,290	1,650
Greystone	Mrs. Ronda Hughes	Route 1, Asheboro	27203	0	0	4,736	476	133	149	217	0	56	37	33	56	0	5,896
High Rock	Lucy Huskins	Route 7, Box 11-A, Asheboro	27203	0	0	0	5	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
Hughes Grove	Mrs. Donnie Edwards	Route 3, Box 737, Thomasville	27360	0	0	0	0	15	15	629	0	95	15	45	1,524	2,338	2,338
Huldah	Mrs. Paul Cody	Route 4, Asheboro	27201	0	0	0	390	100	725	2,291	425	139	218	100	60	4,448	4,448
Jackson Creek	Mrs. Amie Flynt	Route 2, Box 36, Denton	27239	0	0	0	60	25	0	100	0	50	75	0	40	0	760
Liberty, First	Mrs. Marie O. Ferguson	Route 2, Box 180, Liberty	27298	0	0	2,400	600	129	500	1,018	200	277	200	221	176	3,321	5,721
Macedonia	Mrs. Thurman Davis	P.O. Box 5254, Liberty	27298	0	0	1,870	461	59	31	587	0	136	45	25	66	1,410	3,280

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# ***RANDOLPH BAPTIST ASSOCIATION***

**of North Carolina**

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REV. M. A. PEGRAM, Moderator

CARL. L. KING, Vice Moderator

**40TH ANNUAL SESSION**

***1974***

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FRANKLINVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH

October 22

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, RAMSEUR, N. C.

October, 23



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Held with

Franklinville Baptist Church, First Day  
First Baptist Church, Ramseur, Second Day  
October 22 - 23

Next Session

October 21, 22, 1975  
Tuesday, October 21, 1975 — Deep River Baptist  
Wednesday, October 22, 1975 — Union Grove

Annual Sermon: Andrew Grose

Doctrinal Sermon: B. C. Owenby; Alternate: Justus McKeel



### **Lula S. Pegram**

Lula Stone Pegram was born in Vance County, North Carolina, January 29, 1914. She was the daughter of Fed Stone and Pearl Holmes Stone. Her husband was McKinley A. Pegram and their marriage was blessed with a daughter, Elaine Pegram, public school teacher of Raleigh, North Carolina, two sons, Emmanuel Pegram, minister of Lillington Baptist Church, Lillington, North Carolina, and Durwood Pegram, Department of Transportation, Raleigh, North Carolina, and two grandchildren. She was a faithful wife and mother for more than thirty-nine years.

Shortly after their marriage, her husband felt God's call to the ministry and she willingly agreed to make whatever sacrifice necessary in order that he make preparation for the ministry. While she did not marry a preacher, she could not have been more faithful in the role of a pastor's wife. She chose not to work outside the home but great sacrifice and faithfulness made her a good wife, mother, and pastor's helpmate. This continuous sacrifice was evident in her cooperation to help secure a college education for all of her children.

Loyalty to her church was demonstrated in places of service as Sunday School teacher of youth, W.M.U. director and president, G.A. and Acteens leader, various positions in Church Training and Vacation Bible School. One of her great joys was the acceptance of Christ by some member of her Sunday School class.

Lula Stone Pegram died October 3, 1974 in Randolph Hospital after a short illness. A Memorial Service was held at Franklinville Baptist Church, where she was a member and her husband was pastor, and burial was in Pine Ridge Baptist Church cemetery, Franklin County, North Carolina, on October 5, 1974.

By her dedicated life, she proved that her price was far above rubies, her children arise to call her blessed and her husband also praiseth her.

We are glad to dedicate the minutes of the Randolph Baptist Association meeting of 1974 to the memory of Mrs. Lula S. Pegram.

C. E. P.

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**ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY**

Moderator ..... G. T. Patterson    Clerk ..... Fred Lane  
 Vice Moderator ..... John Mangum    Treasurer ..... James R. Lane

**Associational Officers**

Brotherhood Director ..... William Applewhite  
 Music Director ..... William A. McIlvaine  
 Trustees:    H. Wade Yates, Chairman  
               W. Sumner Farlow  
               Alton P. Wall  
 Chairman of Evangelism ..... Justus McKeel  
 Hospital Representative ..... Hansel Neathery  
 Children's Homes Representative ..... T. W. Nelson  
 Baptist Homes for the Aging Representative ..... Reginald Dawkins  
 Literature Chairman ..... Carl Ziegler  
 Temperance and Morals ..... Neal Cockerham  
 Annuity Board Representative ..... Carl King  
 Cooperative Program Representative ..... B. C. Owenby  
 Church Training Director ..... J. E. Painter  
     Church Member Training ..... Charles Beane  
     Church Leader Training ..... Joe Anderson  
     New Member Orientation ..... Jimmie Edwards

**Sunday School Officers**

Sunday School Director ..... Andrew P. Grose  
 Division Directors:  
     Pre-School Director ..... Mrs. W. T. Denson  
     Children's Director ..... Otus Thomas  
     Youth Director ..... William E. Slate  
     Adult Director ..... Benny Hampton  
     V.B.S. Director ..... W. S. Baughman, Jr.

## Committees

### Committees on Nominations

Joe Anderson, Chairman  
G. T. Patterson  
Mrs. Calvin Brower  
Cabot Inman  
J. T. Martin

### Committee on Reception of New Churches

Andrew P. Grose, Chairman  
Guy B. Teachey  
Stephen Welborn

### Committee on Order of Business

Cecil Baughman, Jr., Chairman  
Bob Pratt  
Garland Hall  
M. A. Pegram  
Reginald Dawkins

### Committee on Appreciation

Mrs. Ruth McNeil, Chairman  
Mrs. Lela Carter

### Committee on Budget and Finance

Alton Wall, Chairman  
James Lane  
B. C. Owenby  
Francis Lunsford  
Justus McKeel

### Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher

William E. Slate, Chairman  
Bill Barnes  
Robert Kendrick

### Committee on Ordination

H. C. Neathery, Chairman  
Albert Taylor  
Francis Lunsford  
John Wheelles  
W. E. Eaton

### Committee on Constitution

Wade Yates, Chairman  
A. B. York  
Otus Thomas

### Committee on Memorials

Mrs Calvin Brower, Chairman  
Mrs. Farrell McNeil

### Missions Committee

John Mangum, Chairman  
Clyde Stutts  
Carl King  
Kenneth Tucker

### House and Grounds Committee

Marvin Caviness, Chairman  
Fletcher Skeen  
Wade Tyson

## CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

### ARTICLE I — NAME AND OBJECT

Section 1. The name of the organization shall be the Randolph Baptist Association.

Section 2. The purpose of this organization shall be:

- a. The promotion of harmony, fellowship and cooperation among the churches of the Association.
- b. The propagation of the Gospel within the territory of the Association and to the uttermost part of the earth.
- c. The promotion of the missionary, education and benevolent causes of Christ within the Association and in cooperation with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

### ARTICLE II — MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. The membership of the Association shall consist of messengers of Baptist churches regularly affiliated with the Association. All churches desiring affiliation with the Association shall present to the Committee on Reception of New Churches proper petitions, accompanied by satisfactory evidences of doctrinal regularity and general acceptability. After one year under the watchcare of the Association the said Committee will report to the Association its recommendation. Upon a favorable vote of two-thirds majority of the messengers present at the annual associational meeting the petitioning church may become regularly affiliated with the Association.

"Fellowship may be withdrawn by the Association at any annual meeting upon recommendation of the Executive Committee, from any church in its membership that has been found, by due investigation, to have departed from the Missionary Baptist faith and practices, or has failed to abide by the provision of this Constitution and By-laws, or has failed to either have its pastor or lay member or both in attendance in one or more of the four regular meetings of the Executive Committee, or has failed to make a contribution to the expenses of the Association in addition to the cost of Association minutes, or has failed to properly prepare and return to the Association office a copy of the associational letter, or has failed to send one or more messengers to the annual session of the Association."

(B) Such a church may, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee and vote of the Association, be placed on probation until the conditions prompting such action have been corrected. Messengers from any church on probation shall not be allowed to vote in the meetings of the Association.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of each church to furnish to the Association each year a letter, on the form provided by the Clerk, giving full information and statistics provided for on the form, and to send with the letter or by messenger a contribution toward the cost of printing the minutes and other expenses of the Association.

Section 4. It is understood that each church in this Association is independent and sovereign in its own affairs, and the Association has no authority over the churches, except of an advisory nature.

Section 5. A church may withdraw from membership in the Association by a vote of the church according to its own by-laws, regulations or procedure.

### ARTICLE III — MEETINGS

Section 1. The Association shall meet annually on two days during the week following the Third Sunday in October.

Section 2. The annual meeting shall be composed of messengers

chosen by the respective churches of the Association from their membership. *Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members, or fraction thereof, above one hundred it has enrolled, but not to exceed ten such messengers.* All pastors in the Association and the Field Worker are messengers in all the Associational Meetings, each having but one vote.

Section 3. The Association may hold a Mid-Term meeting each spring at such time and place as may be determined by the Association or its Executive Committee. The purpose of the Mid-Term meeting shall be that of information and inspiration without the transaction of business, except that urgent matters of business which cannot well be delayed until a later meeting may be considered and acted upon.

Section 4. Other meetings of the Association may be held when called by the Executive Committee.

#### ARTICLE IV — OFFICERS

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, and three Trustees.

Section 2. These officers shall be elected on the first day of the regular annual session. The prior approval and consent to serve, if elected, shall have been secured from a prospective nominee prior to placing his name in nomination for any one of the several associational elective offices. They shall take office at the close of the Annual Session and serve through the next Annual Session. Any officer may be re-elected with the exception of the Moderator, who shall not serve more than two years in succession.

Section 3. Duties of the Officers:

- a. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the Association and discharge such duties as are incumbent on the presiding officer of a deliberative body.
- b. The Vice-Moderator shall perform the duties of the Moderator in the absence of or at the request of the Moderator.
- c. The Clerk shall record and preserve the proceeding of the Association, together with the reports and statistics, and have the same printed and distributed. The Treasurer shall preserve all money paid into the treasury, pay the same to the order of the Association, and make a full and complete report of all receipts and disbursements at the Annual Meeting.
- d. The duties of the Trustees shall be to transfer or hold title to any properties for the Association. All transactions of said Trustees shall be authorized by the Association or its Executive Committee.

Section 4. The Association endorses the continued operation of organizations among the churches of the Association for the promotion of the various phases of their work including the Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, Baptist Brotherhood and Woman's Missionary Union. The officers of the Associational Sunday School, Associational Baptist Training Union, and the Associational Baptist Brotherhood shall be nominated by their Nominating Committee and the Nominating Committee of the Association, and approved and elected by the Executive Committee of the Association, and shall serve from October 1 to September 30. The Woman's Missionary Union shall be recognized as an auxiliary organization of the Association.

## ARTICLE V — EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Section 1. The Association shall have an Executive Committee comprised of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Trustees of the Association, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Associational Baptist Brotherhood Director, Associational Woman's Missionary Union Director, the Associational Field Worker, all pastors, all church educational directors, and one member of each church in the Association desiring representation on the Committee.

## Section 2.

- a. The Executive Committee shall hold meetings once each quarter during the second month of the quarter, the date to be set by the Board itself, and at such other times as may be required at the call of the Moderator, or at the call of not less than five members of the Executive Committee.
- b. Twenty members of the Executive Committee shall be required to be present to constitute a quorum.
- c. To act for and on behalf of the Association between sessions.
- d. To carry out the orders and resolutions of the Association pertaining to it.
- e. To superintend the Associational Mission work, employ a missionary and determine the salary to be paid.
- f. To *fill* vacancies which may occur during the year in the personnel of the Associational officers or workers for the remainder of such unexpired term.
- g. To investigate any report of complaint that may be brought to its attention about irregularity of doctrine, practice, or conduct on the part of any individual or group in the Association and report its finding with such recommendations as it considers advisable, to the Association in a regular meeting.
- h. To make such recommendations as it may deem wise for the strengthening and upbuilding of the churches and the work of the Association.
- i. The Executive Committee shall not involve the Association in debt to exceed one hundred dollars for necessary operating expenses of the Association.
- j. To appoint and elect the officers for the Associational organizations of the Sunday School, Church Training, and Baptist Brotherhood.

## ARTICLE VI — ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

## Section 1:

- a. The Associational Council shall be composed of the following Associational officers: Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Associational Woman's Missionary Union Director, Associational Brotherhood Director, Associational Music Director, Chairman of the Evangelism Committee, Chairman of the Budget Committee, Chairman of the Missions Committee, the Field Worker, and others deemed necessary by the Moderator to carry on the work of the Association.



- b. The Moderator shall serve as Chairman of the Council, the Vice-Moderator as vice chairman, and the clerk as secretary.

Section 2:

- a. The Associational Council shall hold meetings once each quarter and at such other times as deemed necessary by the Chairman or at the call of not less than 5 members of the Council.
- b. Seven members of the Council shall be present to constitute a quorum.
- c. The duties of the Associational Council shall be:
  - (1) To plan the general work of the Association.
  - (2) To assign responsibility of the implementation of proposed plans.
  - (3) To receive and help correlate into a general associational program the proposed plans of the individual organizations.
- d. The Council shall give a quarterly report to the Associational Executive Committee along with any recommendations it may have.

ARTICLE VII — COMMITTEES

Section 1. The Moderator shall appoint a Committee on Committees some weeks before the annual meeting of the Association. This Committee shall prepare its report and shall be given the opportunity to submit its report early on the program of the first day of the annual session. The Committee shall name the following committees to report during the annual session: Committee on Memorials, Committee on Appreciation, and such other committees as may be requested by the Association or Moderator. The Committee on Committees shall also name the following standing committees: Committee on Ordination, Committee on Reception of new churches, Committee on Time, Place and Preacher, Nominating Committee, Committee on Order of Business, Constitution and By-Laws Committee, Budget and Finance Committee, Missions Committee, and such other committees as may be requested by the Association or by the Moderator.

Section 2. Duties of the Committees:

- a. The Committee on Time, Place and Preacher will receive all invitations of the churches which desire the Association to meet with them the next year and will recommend to the Association the time and place to meet the following year, without regard to the order in which the invitations may have been received. This Committee will also recommend a preacher and an alternate for the annual sermon and the doctrinal sermon next session.
- b. The Committee on Memorials will prepare a list of those members of the churches who have died during the year and present suitable memorial resolutions for adoption by the Association.
- c. The Committee on Appreciation will prepare and present appropriate resolutions of appreciation.
- d. The Committee on Order of Business will prepare well in advance a suggested order of business for the annual meeting. The committee will notify those who are to make

- reports or have part on the program. This suggested order of business will then be presented to the Association at its regular meeting.
- e. The Nominating Committee shall nominate a complete slate of officers for the next year, excepting the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer.
  - f. Guiding Principles for the Work of the Missions Committee of the Randolph Association.
    1. The Committee is to seek to discover areas where new work is needed and to lead in the sponsorship or establishment of new work to meet present need or the securing of property by a local church and/or the Association in the anticipation of future need.
    2. All new work does not necessarily need to be nor should be intended to become an organized or constituted church. New work may be started and maintained on the basis of a mission to meet particular need (this provides for institutional missions such as jails, prisons, rest homes, etc.)
    3. The location of missions or new churches shall be determined by the need revealed in an adequate survey conducted by the Missions Committee and local interested groups or churches.
    4. Any church, committee, group or individuals considering beginning new work, acting with or without church sponsorship, should approach the Missions Committee for guidance before having any service or choosing a temporary or permanent location.
    5. The Missions Committee shall institute basic, understandable operational procedures and practices for a mission that leads in establishing and strongly urges that each church establishing a mission does the same. The guidance of missions by the Missions Committee shall continue until a co-operating church or churches can be led to accept the responsibility of sponsorship.
    6. A mission organized or assisted by the Missions Committee shall accept the recognized principles and practices of a church co-operating with the Randolph Association, the Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

## ARTICLE VIII — ORDINATION AND CALLING OF PASTORS

Section 1. Inasmuch as the ordination of a man to the gospel ministry by any church in this Association is expected to be recognized by the denomination as a whole, the churches are counseled to be extremely careful in the matter of setting men apart for this sacred calling, ordaining only those who, by irreproachable character, piety of life, doctrinal soundness and suitable talents, give promise of honoring the name of Christ and of rendering acceptable service in the missionary Baptist ministry.

Section 2. To aid the churches in this vital matter, the Association will appoint each year a committee of five of the pastors to be called the Committee on Ordination. Any church desiring to ordain a brother to the ministry may request the said Committee to act as a presbytery for the purpose of examining the brother as to his

fitness for the Baptist ministry, and, if he is found qualified, to assist in the ordination.

Section 3. The churches are urged also to exercise the utmost care and wisdom, earnestly seeking the guidance of the Holy Spirit, in calling of their pastors, choosing only men who give evidence by their Christian character, cooperative spirit and leadership ability, that they will serve the best interests of the churches, the denomination, and the cause of Christ.

#### ARTICLE IX — NEW CHURCHES

Baptist churches may be organized and established in localities within the territory of this Association when such new churches are seen to be needed. Those interested in organizing a new church may seek the Counsel of the Executive Committee and the Missions Committee of the Association.

#### ARTICLE X — RULES AND ORDER OF DECORUM

This Association shall be governed in its meetings by such rules and by-laws as may be adopted, amended, or set aside by a majority vote of the messengers present. *Robert's Rules of Order* will be the guide in all parliamentary matters.

#### ARTICLE XI — ADOPTION

The Constitution and By-Laws shall take effect immediately upon its adoption by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present and shall supersede any and all constitutions, by-laws, and amendments previously adopted.

#### ARTICLE XII — AMENDMENTS

This Constitution and By-Laws may be amended at any regular annual meeting by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present, provided the proposed amendment shall have been presented in written form on the first day of the Annual Meeting. The vote on any proposed amendment so presented may be deferred until the second day if requested by a majority vote of the messengers present.

### PROCEEDINGS

#### Tuesday Evening Session

The 40th. Annual Session of the Randolph Association was convened on Tuesday evening, October 22, 1974 at Franklinville Baptist Church.

- 1 The call to order was given by Rev. M. A. Pegram, Moderator.
- 2 Hymn No. 58 — "He Leadeth Me! O Blessed Tho't" led by William McIlvaine, with Susan Richardson at the organ and Lois Grose at the piano.
- 3 Scripture and opening prayer by Rev. Clyde Stutts, pastor at Clear View Baptist church.
- 4 Bro. Pegram welcomed the messengers and visitors.
- 5 Roll call of the messengers at this time. Motion made, second, and approved that those already registered and those that will register later constitute the 40th. Annual Session.
- 6 The Order of Business was presened by Bro. B. C. Owenby and approved as presented.

- 7 New pastors to the Association were introduced by Rev. R. T. Smith.
- 8 The Executive Committee report was presented by Fred Lane.

### **Executive Committee Report**

I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to the leaders of the Randolph Association. Down through the years it has been my privilege to observe these people at work, each in his or her department. They have been dedicated Christians, well qualified, and the reports that they bring before your Executive Committee have been inspirational, as well as informative and I regret that most of you are not afforded the opportunity of hearing these reports.

Just thought you would like to know. You know who they are, so let them know how much you appreciate what they are doing for your association.

Your Committee held four meetings this past year and all the business handled was of a routine nature.

Respectfully submitted,  
Fred Lane,, Clerk

- 9 Bro Andy Grose presented the report of the Committee on Committees. This report you will find in the directory portion.

- 10 H. Wade Yates, Chairman of the Constitution Committee, presented the proposed changes in the constitution. Adopted.

### **Committee On Constitution**

The committee on Constitution of the Randolph Baptist Association moves to amend Article II, Section 2 (A) of the Constitution and By-Laws of this Association to provide:

"Fellowship may be withdrawn by the Association at any annual meeting, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee, from any church in its membership that has been found, by due investigation, to have departed from the Missionary Baptist faith and practices, or has failed to abide by the provision of this Constitution and By-laws, or has failed to either have its pastor or lay member or both in attendance in one or more of the four regular meetings of the Executive Committee, or has failed to make a contribution to the expenses of the Association in addition to the cost of Association minutes, or has failed to properly prepare and return to the Association office a copy of the associational letter, or has failed to send one or more messengers to the annual session of the Association."

### **RECOMMENDED CHANGES IN CONSTITUTION OF RANDOLPH BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**

I move that the Executive Committee of the Randolph Baptist Association ask the Committee on Constitution to consider recommending the following change in the Constitution and By-Laws of this association.

Under Article II, Section 2 (A) Fellowship may be withdrawn by the Association at any annual meeting, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee, from any church in its membership that has been found, by due investigation, to have departed from the Missionary Baptist faith and practices, or has failed to abide by the provision of



this Constitution and By-Laws, or has failed to have either it's pastor or lay-member or both in at least three of the four regular meetings of the Executive Committee, or has failed to contribute at least fifty dollars, in addition to the cost of association minutes, in support of the association, pr has failed to return to the associational office, properly filled out, a copy of the assciational letter, or has failed to send messengers to the annual session of the association.

11 The Treasurer's Report was given by James R. Lane, Treasurer.

### Treasurer's Report

Balance September 30, 1973 -----	\$ 1,130.12
RECEIPTS -----	17,932..22
Total	<u>\$19,062.34</u>

#### DISBURSEMENTS:

Office Supplies -----	\$ 719.18
Sunday School and V.B.S. -----	121.50
Annuity -----	319.92
Clerk -----	300.00
Treasurer -----	300.00
Utilities -----	1,549.20
Speakers (Assoc.) -----	75.00
Evangelistic Support -----	387.78
Insurance -----	595.00
W.M.U. -----	364.19
Secretary -----	567.43
Social Security Tax -----	25.00
Repairs -----	238.97
Painting -----	886.75
Brotherhood -----	25.00
Youth -----	179.44
Sandy Creek -----	50.00
* Macedonia -----	132.98
Minutes -----	750.88
Convention Expense -----	40.00
Field Worker (Salary & Car Expense) --	8,855.22
Prof. Literature -----	16.48
Total	<u>\$16,504.52</u>
Balance	<u>\$ 2,557.82</u>

Savings Fund Balance \$2,656.50

\*Mistake in contribution. This is a refund of the amount mistakenly sent to the association.



12 The Budget and Finance Committee report was presented by the Treasurer.

### Randolph Baptist Association Budget For 1975

	1975 Budget
Church Training, "M" Night, and Youth Night	\$ 400.00
Sunday School	250.00
Pastorium Maintenance	1,200.00
Bulletins, Supplies, Postage, Printing	1,200.00
Telephone	700.00
Minutes	800.00
Insurance	125.00
Fuel, Lights, and Water	800.00
Assistance to Churches	100.00
Shubal Stearns Memorial	100.00
Evangelism	250.00
Brotherhood and R.A.'s	300.00
Denominational Meetings	400.00
Secretary	1,200.00
Music Department	100.00
Office Equipment	200.00
Visual Aids	50.00
W.M.U.	300.00
Speakers for Annual Session	150.00
Miscellaneous	200.00
Clerk	300.00
Treasurer	300.00
Salary	6,800.00
Insurance	400.00
Travel Expense	3,000.00
Retirement	320.00
Professional Literature	100.00
Total Proposed Budget for 1975	\$20,045.00

13 Hymn No. 352 — "Living for Jesus" led by William McIlvaine, with Susan Richardson at the organ and Lois Grose at the piano.

14 Program of songs presented by the Seventh Grade Chorus of the Franklinville School. Mrs. William McIlvaine, director.

15 The Annual Sermon was given by Rev. Andy Grose, Pastor of Grey-stone.

16 The W.M.U. President, Mrs. Calvin Brower, gave the report on the W.M.U.

## W.M.U. Report

The purpose of the Associational WMU is to assist church WMU's in doing their basic work.

It has been a joyous privilege for our council to let the Lord accomplish His purpose through us, for in all things we give Him the glory.

Training opportunities for Associational officers included:

Associational State Leadership Training — Camp Mundo Vista, September 5, 6, 1973; September 6, 7, 1974.

State Training for WMU Officers, Green Street Baptist Church, High Point — Mrs. Lewis Pritchard, Mrs. Doyle Owen, Mrs. Tony Vuncannon attending Acteen Leaders Workshop, Associational Acteen Leaders Retreat — Mrs. Tony Vunconnan, Mrs. Ben Davis attended.

Mrs. Doyle Owen, GA Director, served three times on the GA State faculty for the Mother-Daughter Camp.

*Training Others* opportunities presented this year:

*G.A. Mini-Prayer Retreat*, Mundo Vista — August 25, 1973, seventy-four girls representing eight churches attended. Ellen Byrum, Oakwood Park, was elected president.

*WMU Officers Training*, Oakhurst, October 15, 1973.

*WMU Mini Prayer Retreat*, Mundo Vista — October 20, 1973.

*G.A. Foreign Mission Study*, fifty-nine girls from ten churches attended. Study was led by Mrs. Sam Kimrey and Mrs. Gilbert Edwards.

*G.A. Day Camp*, Mundo Vista — August 24, 1974. Ninety girls from eleven churches registered. Krista Hare, Oakhurst, was elected "Miss Ideal G.A."

An Associational Acteen Council was organized resulting in:

Four Associational Acteen Council Meetings

Three Associational Acteen Meetings

The Acteen Summer Mission Project was the presentation of the musical "JOY". Thirty young people from five churches, under the direction of Mrs. Kay Cagle and Mrs. Tony Vuncannon, gave performances in eight churches and at the Annual WMU-Brotherhood Meeting at Camp Mundo Vista.

Free material from Foreign and Home Mission Boards, and the American Bible Society, plus updated list of officers, and filmstrips available, were sent to each WMU Director.

One new filmstrip, "Home to Become a Missionary" was purchased for Associational use.

Other methods used to inform churches were: Letters, telephone calls, monthly letter in *The Randolph Baptist*, *The Courier-Tribune*, WGWR Radio Station, visits to churches (3) Teaching WMU Study Courses, (2) Installing officers (1).

Your Director served as a member of the Executive Council and Committee of the Randolph Association and presented regular progress reports.

An article was submitted and included in the January-February-March issue of the *State Baptist Women Retreat*.

The WMU and Brotherhood held two joint meetings:

February 25 — Forest Park — Ed Bullock of State Brotherhood was speaker.

April 29 — Thirty-Ninth Annual Meeting at Camp Mundo Vista. The theme for the dinner meeting was "Sharing Christ Through His Word". Reverend Luther Morphis, Missionary to Germany shared with the one-hundred sixty persons present.

The WMU voted to change Article V, Section I of the Associational WMU By-laws.

Seventy-six Baptist Hymnals were purchased for Camp Mundo Vista at a cost of \$205.67. The cost was met by volunteer contributions from seventeen churches and one individual.

The following 1974-75 officers were elected:

W.M.U. Director — Mrs. Calvin Brower

Assistant W.M.U. Director — Miss Carolyn King

Baptist Women Director — Mrs. Reid Seabolt

Acteen Director — Mrs. Tony Vuncannon

Assistant Acteen Director — Mrs. Ben Davis

Girls in Action Director — Mrs. Doyle Owen

Mission Friends Director — Mrs. Lewis Pritchard

### *State Recognition*

Distinguished WMU — Mt Pleasant, fifth year

Merit WMU — Ramseur, First

Advanced WMU — Randolph Association

Special Recognition — Giant Step Goals Met 25% — Balfour, Worthville 25% — Magazine Subscriptions — Russell's Grove

Number of churches with one WMU Age-level organizations				26
Baptist Women				
Number organizations	26	Number of members		596
Baptist Young Women				
Number organizations	5	Number of members		56
Acteens				
Number organizations	16	Number of members		123
Girls in Action				
Number organizations	15	Number of members		168
Mission Friends				
Number organizations	15	Number of members		107

"Oh that men would praise the Lord for His goodness, and for His wonderful works to the Children of Men!" *Psalms* 107:8

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. Calvin Brower

17 The Brotherhood Report was presented by Rev. G. T. Patterson.

## Brotherhood Report

Brotherhood is the total church mission program involving men and boys. Both the "Baptist Men" and the "Royal Ambassadors" units are divisions of the total local church Brotherhood program.

Church missions is the local church seeking to provide an educational program that will cause its people to be knowledgeable and concerned about the basic needs of people in both your community and around the world. Missions is the church seeking, determining, and implementing activities that involve the membership of the local church in a ministering Christian witness beyond the immediate local church family.

Every church can and should have a Brotherhood program, even if it is a Brotherhood with one leader. He should be called the Brotherhood Director, and is vital to even the simplest form of a church Brotherhood program. He is equally valuable to the more complex programs with several units which consist of Baptist Men, Baptist Young Men, and Royal Ambassadors.

As we close out this church year, I would like to say a personal word of appreciation to the Baptist Men and the Royal Ambassadors of this Association for all of the efforts that each have put forth, and with the sense of well-being that comes from having accomplished many worthwhile things for the glory of our Master. It has been my privilege to visit in a few of our churches and speak to them about their Brotherhood programs in general. I count this as a sincere privilege because I am confident that some good has come from our meetings together.

As we look forward to the coming year, I hope that we will be able to begin Baptist Men and Royal Ambassador work on a much larger Associational level. At the present time I am seeking the Lord's guidance as to the men who He would have serve as directors of these various units within our Associational Brotherhood program. Opportunities for training will be provided at an Associational Brotherhood Workshop to be conducted at the Balfour Baptist Church, October 29, 1974. We are also looking forward to our annual Brotherhood and WMU Meeting at Mund Vista on April 28, 1975, and to an Associational Brotherhood Retreat at Camp Caraway on May 26, 1975.

Again, if I can be of any assistance to you and to your church in any area of our Brotherhood work, please feel free to call upon me. I am here to serve you.

Respectfully submitted,  
Tom Patterson

18 Rev. Cecil Baughman presented the State Missions Report.

## State Missions Report

State Missions in North Carolina gave support and growth to the local church and to the Kingdom of God. Through State Missions we are able to extend our outreach and develop stronger Christians.

There are over fifty different programs of work in State Missions. These include Baptist Children's Homes, Homes for the Aging, Baptist Hospitals, Resort Ministries, and work with the Deaf. These are just a few. Every day as local churches, we extend our outreach through these ministries.



Many areas of support and growth are given directly to the local church through State Missions. Training is available at one of our State Assemblies. Help is available for Sunday School, Church Training, Music, and Missions activities in the local church. Special help may be requested in financial and building planning. Does your church need a Youth program? State missions work in all of these areas plus many more.

We are fortunate in Randolph Association to have two programs; Mundo Vista and Camp Caraway. We need to make every effort to take every advantage of the opportunities they afford us for support and growth.

Encourage your church to give full support to our State Mission Ministry. Next year set a worthy goal for your State Mission Offering in September.

Respectfully submitted,  
Cecil Baughman

19 The Home Missions Report was given by Bro. Wiliam Slate.

### Home Missions Report

Home Missions means just that to Randolph Baptists. Home Missions continues to exercise its time, efforts, and expenditures here at home as well as across the nation and parts of Latin America.

Home Missions have aided in our own Camp Caraway, summer missionaries and workers.

We have a constant flexion in our number of missionaries, but the number continues to exceed 2,200.

At the last report by the Southern Baptist Convention, Home Missions had reports of 452,000 baptisms due largely to the increased involvement of Lay Witnessing.

Home Missions has a part in twelve separate ministeries which include the Chaplaincy, Evangelism Development, establishing new churches and missions, and others.

The work of these missionaries and their involvement in Home Missions takes them to all fifty states, Panama and Puerto Rico.

And to this we say, TO GOD BE THE GLORY!

Respectfully submitted,  
William E. Slate

20 Bro. Reginald Dawkins presented the report on Foreign Missions.

### Foreign Missions Report

In the *Woman's Missionary Union Manual*, 1970, are found the following words:

"Each generation of Christians makes its response to the missions imperative. Jesus gave a commission to his followers. They are 'to disciple' the nations. From the time He spoke this mandate, men, women, and youth have been caught up in this mighty movement of world missions. At times the cause of Christ has suffered loss



because Christians failed to seize opportunities. In other areas, the cause has moved forward with gigantic strides when persons accepted and fulfilled their roles in God's world plan.

The success of the missions enterprise is sure. But each generation fights anew battle which result in victories for that generation. From decade to decade the same enemies to the cause of Christ prevail. But the same power that has assured past victory is available to Christians who accept it."

As of August 1 1974 the overseas missionary force in 80 countries is divided into the following categories:

Career Missionaries	2,237
Missionary Associates	187
Missionary Journeymen	150
Special Project	3
Total	<u>2,577</u>

Support for Foreign Missions comes chiefly through two channels the Cooperative Program and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. In 1973 the total gifts received by the Board amounted to \$39,438,969. Of this amount \$17,135,169 came through the Cooperative Program and \$19,794,025 received January through December, 1973) through the Lottie Moon Christmas offering. All other contributions amounted to \$2,509,775.

Approximately 50 percent of the Southern Baptist Convention Cooperative Program funds is made available annually for foreign missions. This is the basis upon which sustanide advance can be built. Still needed urgently on overseas fields are land, buildings, and equipment, amounting to several million dollars worth. It is imperative that we increase our mission giving.

Respectfully submitted,  
Reginald Dawkins

21 Hymn No. 141 — "I Love To Tell The Story" led by Mr. McIlvaine, with Susan Richardson at the organ and Lois Grose at the piano.

22 Special music at this time by Wlliam McIlvane.

23 Missionary Message by Bro. Richard Smith, Director of Division of Management of the State Convention.

24 The motion was made, second, and approved that our minutes be dedicated to Mrs. M. A. Pegram.

Meeting adjourned.

**Wednesdaay, October 23, 1974**

**Morning Session**

25 Rev. M. A. Pegram called the meeting to order at 9:30 A.M.

26 Hymn No. 139 — "I Stand Amazed in the Presence" led by Bro. Carl King, with Juanita Luther at the piano.

27 Welcome to messengers, scripture, and opening prayer by Bro. Justus McKeel, Pastor of the host church.

28 The following officers were elected for the coming year:

Moderator .....	G. T. Patterson
V. Moderator .....	John Mangum
Clerk .....	Fred Lane
Treasurer .....	James Lane

29 Nominating Committee report was presented by Mrs. Calvin Brower and will be found in the directory portion of the minutes.

30 Rev. Andy Grose presented the report on the Sunday School.

**Sunday School Report**

Teaching the Bible to people and continuously reaching more and more people for the Bible Study program is and must continue to be the major objectives of any church. The Sunday School has always been one of the best tools any church has in reaching peple for Jesus Christ.

This past year the major emphasis of our Suday School Department has been Teacher Improvement. Our Association held a clinic at First Baptist Church, September 23-24, 1974 for the purpose of improving the quality of our Sunday School Bible Teaching Program in our churches.

A major emphasis that is currently underway is the "REACH OUT" effort, a program designed to get the 3,455 churches in North Carolina to reach out to people of our community through concentrated visitation of all unchurched persons on the church prospect file, praying, Bible Reading, and Testifying. This effort will be climaxed with *Celebration Sunday* on November 17, 1974. Here are the goals for this Sunday:

1. High attendance day
2. Effort to reach the largest number in your Sunday School attendance
3. Effort to involve a half million in North Carolina Baptist Sunday Schools
4. Effort to have five million persons in attendance a record) across the Southern Baptist Convention.

For the next two years we are going to be focusing on adults in the Sunday School: 1974-75 (October to October) on *median* and *senior* adults; 1975-76 on young adults.

This year the Sunday School Board has introduced a new magazine entitled the *Sunday School Lesson Illustrator*, designed to be a Bible Study magazine for the adult class teacher to supplement and give greater depth to the Convention Uniform lesson materials, but may also be used with Life and Work Lessons to add inspirational pictures and materials to improve our Bible teaching program. Each church is urged to obtain this piece of literature for your adult teachers.

The Vacation Bible School Clinic, held at Wingate College in January, introduced a new piece of outreach material, which will be valuable for our churches. It is entitled the *Backyard Bible Club Teacher's Book*, designed as a flip chart. Every church can find at least one area in which there is a concentration of children and involve youth and/or adults in teaching the life of Christ to children. Many families may be reached for a church by this means of outreach. The day is past when we expect people to automatically come to the church. We must take God's Word to people wherever we find them.

A major event in our association is planned for September 29, 1975 Associational Night. We will be teaching the new leadership books, available January 1, 1975, to the Sunday School officers and teachers. In addition, we will have a Pastor-Sunday Directors Workshop on the same evening. These two important groups will meet at the Balfour Baptist Church.

God bless all our churches as we work to teach the Bible and to reach more people for Christ this year.

Respectfully submitted,  
Andrew P. Grose

31 The Church Training report was given at this time by B. C. Owenby.

## Church Training Report

Church Training in any church involves just what the term says. The State Convention, however, lists three areas of church training: New Member Orientation, Leadership Training, and the on-going church training groups.

The work on an associational level usually centers around several special events each year. The "M" night program is held to help kick-off the new church year and inspire churches to put new life in church training programs. The 1973 "M" night was held at the Union Grove Church. Rev. Tom Patterson, pastor at Balfour Baptist, brought a most challenging message.

The second associational church training meeting was held in May at Oakhurst Baptist. This was the Scripture Exploring Drill held for young people ages 9-11. The winners in this contest go on to compete in the state drills held at Caswell and Fruitland in the summer.

The associational Youth Night continued to be the most successful meeting of the year. Held again at Caraway, more than 250 young people and their counselors heard Mike and Mona Crane tell about their work as US-2 missionaries. This program climaxed a fine year in the work of our Baptist Churches in Randolph Association.

Respectfully submitted,  
Justus McKeel

32 The Cooperative Program report was given by B. C. Owenby.

## Cooperative Program Report

More than 5,000 missionaries at home and abroad depend on gifts through the Cooperative Program for a salary each month. Over 3,000 of these have a basic ministry of evangelism, with all of the others using their skills as nurses, teachers, doctors, etc. to meet human needs in order to bring these to Christ. Through the Cooperative Program you are helping the widow, the homeless child, the homeless aged, and sick, plus the ministries of preaching and teaching.

Increasing the percentage given through the Cooperative Program is an excellent followthrough for the special offerings your church receives.

Failure to have a good follow-through, in anything, would be frustrating at the least and tragic at the most. Failure to have a good follow-through when you are fishing would cause all of your fish to get away and this would be frustrating. It would be tragic not to have a good follow-through in a baptismal service.

A good follow-through is the lifeline between good planning and good results. You will get excellent results if you plan well your special offerings and let your major emphasis be on the lifeline: **YOUR COOPERATIVE PROGRAM.**

Would your church give more if you received more money? If so, you need to have a thorough stewardship program in your church.

Last year 1, 236 church increased Cooperative Program giving by 10 percent or more over what they gave the previous year. Two of the associations in North Carolina had 100 percent of their churches giving through the Cooperative Program in 1973. These two associations were: Flat River and the Tar River.

Will you do four things?:

1. Will you lead the church where you serve to increase Cooperative Program and associational mission giving by 10 percent or more?
2. Will you have a special prayer for your missionaries and other Cooperative Program causes during each service in your church during the October Cooperative Program prayer each month?
3. Will you send your check for Cooperative Program *each month* to Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, Post Office Box 26508, Raleigh, North Carolina, 27611?
4. Will you help us have a good stewardship workshop in your association next spring or summer, so we can: (1) Study recommendations for pastor and staff salary increases; (2) Get an overview of available program helps for each church in stewardship; and (3) Receive a report on where you are in *your goals* for associational and Cooperative Program giving?

Respectfully submitted,  
B. C. Owenby



33 Message on the W.M.U. was given by Sara Ann Hobbs of the State Convention.

34 Report on Christian Education by Bro. B. G. Pratt.

35 Speaking to the report was Hargus Taylor, public relations of Chowan College.

## Christian Education Report

Despite the tremendous pressures and hostile attacks on the home as an institution, the Christian home remains the most important agent for Christian education in our society. When parents uphold the Lordship of Jesus Christ in their daily lives, engage in family worship, and teach the moral truths of the Bible in word and deed, our children will develop ideals, moral and spiritual traits, and Christian commitments that will make them valuable members of the Christian fellowship. Our youth by and large, will develop attitudes and assume roles in religious matters from their family and home-church experiences. Therefore, our churches are striving to assist parents in the Christian training of their children through a sound, Bible-oriented program for all age groups and interest levels. We try to appeal to families as a family group while allowing time for the family to fulfil its witness through home and civic activities.

We recognize the value of offering a continuing Christian education experience for our young people when they must leave the home community for further vocational training, and we are happy to report that our seven N. C. Baptist Colleges are alive and doing well. These colleges — Campbell, Chowan, Gardner-Webb, Mars Hill, Wingate, Meredith, Wake Forest — offer strong academic programs and maintain a Christian influence through departments of religion, Baptist Student Unions, and many Christian service projects. These colleges are open to all qualified students, but they make a special effort to recruit North Carolina Baptist students through pastors and superintendents of missions. In this day of spiraling college expenses, it is encouraging to know that no qualified student will be turned away simply because of inability to pay. The Directors of Financial Aid work every angle they can to aid deserving students.

In our own church we have had students from our colleges serving through the Baptist Youth Corps. One of these has worked her entire way through college. The one we had this summer commented, "If a student wants to attend one of our Baptist Colleges badly enough, funds will be found to assist him." Gardner-Webb and Campbell offer scholarships to Acteens and R.A.'s who have completed steps on their missionary advancements. Meredith offers a competitive scholarship to Baptist Women from each of our regions. These scholarships are to encourage our youth to develop their leadership abilities and use them in their churches. Alumni from these seven colleges are serving capably in our state and area in various roles of leadership in the professions as well as business, and we can be justly proud for the part, small though it is in the light of their total financial needs that our churches play in their support.

Higher Christian education is a co-operative enterprise between our Baptist churches and Baptist Colleges in North Carolina. This active partnership includes Baptist Youth Corps, student-led worship revival services, visits to the campuses by pastors and other leaders, participation of faculty and staff in associational and local church programs, and special projects of promotion on behalf of the Co-operative Program.



Our main suport for these colleges is channeled to them through the Cooperative Program. During 1974 approximately \$2,350,000 will undergird the work of North Carolina Baptist colleges. These funds make a tremendous difference in the quality of programs offered by our schools.

It is with gratitude that we make a note of the effective leadership of Dr. Budd E. Smith who resigned the presidency of Wingate College this year after twenty years of service. We welcome to our state the new presndent of Wingate Dr. Thomas E. Corts of Georgetown, Kentucky, who became Wingate's eleventh president on June 1. He came to this position with excellent preparation and experience.

Our colleges work with our Baptist State Convention through the Council on Christian Higher Education. The Council office seeks to promote understanding and cooperation between the churches and colleges as they deal creatively with persons in the name of our Lord.

May we remember that Christian education is the task of each one of us as we work together through our homes, our churches, and our colleges. Let us support all efforts in Christian education with our prayers and resources that we may touch and bring to greater maturity and usefulness more people for our Master.

Respectfully submitted,  
Bob Pratt

36 Hymn No 41 — "To God be the Glory" led by Carl King, with Juanita Luther at the piano.

37 Rev. Tom Patterson presented the report on Temperance and Morals.

### **Temperance and Morals Report**

I do not think I have ever seen the time when the word "moral" means so little in our society. It seems it is just a word, without meaning across our land and our own communities.

The American Dictionary defines "morals" (1) Of, or concern with the judgement of goodness or badness of human action and character pertaining to discernment of good and evil. (2) Designed to teach goodness or correctness of character and behavior; instructive of what is good and bad.

We as Christians see the sins that are heaped upon our society, because men, women, boys and girls are morally unconcerned.

We as Christians should turn our volumes up, that our voices can be heard as one in Christ; not to please man, but to please God. Praying to God to be led by the Holy Spirit to say or do something that will be a deterrent to those things that are morally wrong in our communities.

We realize to serve God that we are not always in the majority, but at the same time, we know that God and One is a majority.

We know when all our voices are heard, wonderful things happen: (Example) The liquor by the drink referendum of last year. We are still rejoicing in the wonderful victory God gave to us, to receive over 70 percent of the vote in our favor and to carry 97 counties in the state is remarkable indeed. It is a tribute to the wonderful spirit of the people of the state of North Carolina. We know that we cannot

rest upon this victory alone, but through it, it renews our faith and if our voices are heard in a Christian manner, God will answer and give us more victories.

Respectfully submitted,  
Neal J. Cockerham

38 The Christian Literature report was given by Rev. H. C. Neathery.

## Literature Report

The chief publication agency of the Southern Baptist Convention is the Broadman Publication Division. In the past year, 1972-73, Broadman introduced 408 new products including 72 books, 3 motion pictures, 38 filmstrips, 46 cassettes, 11 recordings, 9 instrumental tapes, 1 multimedia pack, 11 choral works, 11 miscellaneous products were dropped by being declared out-of-print or out-of-release. Those dropped included 33 books, 33 supplies, 9 audio-visuals, and 115 pieces of music. Broadman, therefore, had a net increase of 218 new products in the past year.

The Broadman Bible Commentary publishing project was completed with the publication of the Broadman Bible Commentary Volume I - Revised. This commentary is being purchased by many thousands of Southern Baptists. It is making and should continue to make a significant contribution to Southern Baptist theological thought and study.

Broadman has traditionally published to meet continuing needs of Christians in subject areas like Bible study, prayer, and church history, it also tries to remain flexible enough to respond quickly to areas of particularly intense current interest among Christians. In line with this philosophy Broadman has published two books on tongues speaking, three books on angels, demons and Satan, and one book on triumph of faith in POW camp.

Church growth plans, which include People-to-People and Church, the Sunday Night Place have already helped many churches in re-establishing a positive spirit and have turned their membership enrollment patterns from decline to growth.

The 12 issues of our foreign missions magazine, *The Commission*, for 1973 contained more than 200 articles, including special features on 50 of the 77 countries to which Southern Baptist missionaries are assigned.

In the department of Home Missions two professional books of note have been published — *The Greening of the Church* by Findley B. Edge and *The Psychology of Religion* by Wayne E. Oates. These have been especially well received by civilian and military chaplains. The department has produced many tracts, plan books, etc., on such programs as Evangelism Development, Church Extension Pioneer Missions, Rural-Urban Missions, Christian Social Ministries and Inter-faith Witness.

Woman's Missionary Union published three quarterly magazines: *Dimension* for Woman's Missionary Union officers, *Aware* for Girls in Action leaders, and *Start* for Mission Friends leaders, and four monthly magazines; *Royal Service* for Baptist Women, *Contempo* for Baptist Young Women, *Accent* for members of Acteens, and *Discovery* for members of Girls in Action. In addition to the member edition of *Accent*, a leader edition was produced for Acteen leaders.

Perhaps the most important piece of literature introduced by the Brotherhood Commission has been the *World Mission Journal*, a monthly publication produced as a tabloid newspaper eight times a year, and reduced the subscription price by 30 percent to make it available to more readers.

Another very important item of literature in our Southern Baptist life is our State Baptist papers, valuable for their ministry of dissemination of information regarding the widespread programs of the agencies and institutions of the Southern Baptist Convention. They also keep us abreast of the trend of religious thought in the modern world and alert and sensitive to the moral evils that are ever creeping up on us. Our own state paper, the *Biblical Recorder*, under its most competent editor, Mr. Marse Grant, remains one of the best.

Statistics show that acceptance of our church literature and convention press materials is greater than it has been in some time. Sales and production are up in most cases. Final circulation of Sunday School quarterly periodicals increased by 73,721 copies or 0.8 percent for the final quarter of 1972. Resource kits for children accounted for 47,361 units of this increase. Life and Work periodicals accounted for 53 percent of Sunday School and adult quarterly periodical sales in 1973 compared to 52 percent in 1972.

However, the Church Training quarterly periodicals declined by 134,529 copies or 8.8 percent under those of a year ago.

When Dr. Cothen, the new presidential successor to Dr. Sullivan of the Sunday School Board, was introduced at the Southern Baptist Convention in Dallas this summer, he announced that his approach in directing the production of literature would be a people centered approach rather than a program centered approach as in the past. So may we observe closely the trend our literature may take in the following years under the new leadership of Dr. Cothen, the outgoing president of New Orleans Baptist Seminary.

Respectfully submitted,

H. C. Neathery

39 Bro. Carl King presented the Annuity Report at this time.

## Annuity Report

The Southern Baptist Convention Annuity Board paid out a record nearly \$16 million in retirement and protection benefits during 1973 to more than 9,000 retired pastors and other church-related vocational workers or their widows.

In addition, the Annuity Board set another record. This one was for funds held in trust for those participating in retirement and protection plans while still in active service. About 38,000 pastors, other church staff and denominational agency employees are included.

The Board issued another 13th Check, or extra benefit, for annuitants shortly before Christmas 1973. It amounted to two extra months' worth of benefits and totaled \$1,187,379. The 13th Check helps annuitants, whose benefits are fixed, to meet the rising cost of living. Payment of the 13th Check is over and above the 12 contracted monthly benefits and depends from year to year on investment income.

The Board's decline in equity, or stock, investments paralleled the decline in the market generally, which affected all other types of in-

vestors as well. The major market indicators — Dow-Jones, Standard and Poor, and Value Line — all were down during the year.

By comparison, the Board's investments in mortgage loans and real estate leasebacks proved to be profit-making for the year. In an effort to continue earning from real estate investments, the Board announced a new type of Plan C investment called Land Equity Loans. Plan C is the Board's variable benefit plan which supplements the basic retirement program, called Plan A, for ministers.

The following churches are the ones who are now participating in the Annuity Program in our association: Armfield Heights: Asbury, Asheboro First, Balfour, Caraway, Central Falls, Clearview, Deep River, Forest Park, Franklinville, Glenola, Gravel Hill, Greystone, Huldah, Liberty First, Macedonia, Maple Springs, Mt.. Lebanon, Oakhurst, Oakwood Park, Ramseur First, Randleman First, Russells Grove, Union Grove, Worthville and the Randolph Baptist Association.

Additional information on the Annuity Board may be secured from Development Office, SBC Annuity Board, 511 North Akard Building, Dalas, Texas, 75201.

Respectfully submitted,  
Carl L. King

40 The Report on Evangelism was presented by W. A. Gillett.

## Evangelism Report

Lay Evangelism Schools continue to produce results. It is most significant that in less than three years over 11,000 North Carolina Baptists have shared in this lay witness training. Over 855 churches and some 44 associations have participated in these sessions.

Approximately 2400 pastors and lay persons attended the 28th Statewide Evangelism Conference held in Greensboro during February.

God blessed the evangelistic ministry of three summer youth evangelism teams. Nine college students led music, preached youth revivals and directed youth training sessions among 27 churches from Pisgah Forest to Edenton.

Richard Hogue, Evangelist, and Darcy and Sharon Hodges, Music Evangelists, led in the 4th Statewide Youth Evangelism Night in August. About 15,000 youth and their leaders attended from across the state.

The Holy Spirit has continued to bless our state throughout this year. Wonderful revivals, city-wide crusades and clinics on Evangelism have opened the way for His further blessings upon us.

Coming events include the 29th Evangelism Conference among North Carolina Baptists.

Remember to pray often for the work of evangelism in all the churches in our association, state, nation, and world.

Respectfully submitted,  
W. A. Gillett



41 Bro. T. W. Nelson gave the Children's Home Report.

### Children's Home Report

Christian child care is a shared adventure. We proceed by faith to build a helping relationship with children and their families in need. We cannot know in advance the final outcome, but we are confident of God's power to work in these relationships for reconciliation and healing.

Much has happened this year to strengthen the foundations for our ministry of child care. The recreation and administration buildings at Broyhill Home are nearing completion. A cottage and two staff residences at Kennedy Home will soon be dedicated. A challenge gift of \$100,000 has been received for the development of Greer-Burris Home at Chapel Hill.

"The Mountain Within", a thirty-minute 16mm sound picture, has been filmed to tell the story of the Children's Homes. It was premiered at the Piedmont Area Conference September 12. Following extensive use on statewide television broadcasts, it was released for showings to churches, associations, civic clubs, and other interested groups October 1. Place your order for the film through the Department of Communications of the Baptist State Convention.

Our Piedmont Area services have expanded significantly during the past year. *Mills Home continues to provide the highest quality group care to more than two hundred school age children.* Wall Home has pioneered with an exciting outdoor high adventure program for a group of teenage boys. Our first Emergency Care Home opened in Burlington May 21, and a similar home was opened in Charlotte in late summer. These two homes represent a cooperative venture with the Mount Zion and Mecklenburg Associations to provide emergency care on the local scene. *New foster homes have been licensed and have increased the number of foster home children in care.*

The continuing good will and generous support of our friends throughout the State make possible this vigorous and progressive ministry of child care. During the past year, North Carolina Baptists gave more than a million dollars to Christian child care in the North Carolina Baptist Children's Homes through the Cooperative Program, the Thanksgiving offering, and designated gifts and offerings. Rising costs and the need for expanding services challenge all of us — staff and supporters — to continue our investment in the shared adventure of Christian child care.

May God challenge our hearts in Randolph county to bring at least a day's wage from our homes of plenty and tables so bountifully supplied by His hand to this worthy cause.

Respectfully submitted,  
T. W. Nelson

42 The report on the Baptist Homes for the Aging was presented by R. L. Hughes.

43 Speaking to the report was Bro. Ralph Cannon, pastor of Mars Hill Baptist Church.

### Baptist Homes For The Aging

North Carolina Baptists began this work more than twenty-three years ago with one facility located in Winston-Salem. God has blessed this ministry in a remarkable way. We believe that under His leadership this effort has developed until now we have five Homes plus a nursing care unit. This nursing unit and two of the Homes are located



in Winston-Salem. The three other Homes are at Albemarle, Hamilton, and Yanceyville. In these Homes, four out of every five residents depend to some degree upon the love gifts of North Carolina Baptists. This work simply could not continue without your help.

We, as Baptists working together, have made life much happier and more secure for these people who live in our Homes. We have done so through two very helpful means of support:

(1) The Special Offering for the Homes received on the 3rd Sunday of February each year: and

(2) The Cooperative Program

Gifts through these two sources have increased every year. Perhaps the February love offering will exceed \$350,000 this next year. That will be more than 30% of the budget needed to operate the 5 Homes and the Nursing Unit.

There is an additional challenge and opportunity coming before us at this time. The Trustees of the Homes have voted to establish a 6th Home to be located in Western North Carolina in the city of Asheville on the Pearson Estate. This is a beautiful twentyone acre site overlooking the city and having a background view of the gorgeous Blue Ridge Mountains. A dedicated group of people in the western part of our state have organized the first initial phase of what will become, it is hoped, a major state-wide fund-raising effort to obtain the necessary funds for building. Of course this will be done only after approval by the General Board and the Baptist State Convention.

Now, as we consider this challenge before us and as we keep in mind the spiraling cost of all things, and as we recognize the ever-increasing need of older people, we see that it is most urgent that all of us be more generous than ever before in our support for the Homes which we already have, and perhaps there will be some people who will want to make a special 'over and above' gift for the Western N. C. Home.

We believe that ministry to an older person is a direct ministry unto Christ Himself and, we feel sure, it is most pleasing to Him.

Respectfully submitted,  
R. L. Hughes

44 Bro. John Jackson presented the report on the Baptist Hospital.

### **Baptist Hospital Report**

In spite of the growth in size and complexity at your Baptist Hospital, the emphasis is still upon "ministering with skill and understanding." Evidence of this is a typical patients remark recently: "From the head surgeon, to the aide who handed me a glass of water, with all the doctors, nurses, people in the business offices and chaplains in between, I was cheerfully given every personal consideration."

Changes and additions continue to be made for the purpose of providing better hospital care. Renovation of the Progressive Care Unit has been completed, and the South and West Wings of the hospital building are now being renovated. Construction of the Ambulatory Care Unit is well under way and is scheduled for completion in the spring, or early summer, of 1975.

New discoveries continue to make possible better medical care. For example, a new EMI-Scanner is to be installed and is expected to be in use before the end of this year. This device, which combines

the use of X-rays and computers, will make it possible to detect brain tumors, blood clots, and strokes more accurately and more quickly. Scans can be completed in about 30 minutes and the results can be available in another five minutes. There is no risk or discomfort involved, and the patient does not have to be admitted to the hospital.

New approaches are also being made in the hospital's ministry to the emotional and spiritual needs of people. The Division of Human Enrichment and Development, in the Department of Pastoral Care, is conducting retreats, seminars, and workshops designed to help appropriate the resources of the Christian faith to the various areas and experiences of life. The Pastoral Care Department has also opened its first satellite center, in Fayetteville, to offer counseling and training to people in that area. Your Cooperative Program gifts help to support these ministries.

The School of Nursing graduated its last class in May. The school has been in the process of phasing out for the past three years, as the result of a trustee decision in 1971.

In January the hospital had its only room rate increase in the past three and one half years. Nevertheless, the hospital continues to operate "in the black". The 1974 Mother's Day Offerings amounted to \$375,000. At the time of this writing, our 1974 Mother's Day gifts are running ahead of the same time last year. These gifts are used to assist patients with the most urgent financial needs. A special committee of five Baptists from the Winston-Salem area assists personnel from the hospital Business Office and the Department of Denominational Relations in administering these funds.

Your hospital staff, and the people they serve, are grateful for your interest, your prayers and your financial support.

Respectfully submitted,  
John Jackson

45 Bro. Justus McKeel gave instruction as to the meal and other information.

46 Doctrinal Sermon by Rev. B. C. Owenby, pastor of the Armfield Heights.

Adjourn for lunch.

### **Wednesday Afternoon Session**

47 Bro. Pegram called the meeting to order at 1:30 P.M.

48 Hymn No. 150 — "I Love Thee" led by Carl King with Juanita Luther at the piano.

49 Scripture and prayer by Bro. John Wheelles.

50 Rev. John Mangum presented the report on Time, Place, and Preachers.

### **Report of Committee on Time, Place and Preacher**

Tuesday night, October 21, 1975 — Deep River Baptist Church  
Wednesday Morning and Afternoon, October 22, 1975 — Union Grove

Annual Sermon: John Wheelles

Alternate: Garland Hall

Doctrinal Sermon: Cecil Baughman, Jr.

Alternate: William E. Slate

51 Committee on Memorials by Mrs. Calvin Brower.

## Memorials

We have the promises of God as thick as daisies in summer meadows, that death, which men most fear, shall be to us the most blessed of experience, if we trust in Him. Death is unclasp-

ing joy, breaking out in the desert; the heart, come to its blossoming time! Do we call it dying when the bud bursts into flower?

Henry Ward Beecher

By the reading of the following names, we do therefore honor the memory of those who have passed from our midst since our last Annual Associational Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. Calvin Brower  
Mrs. Farrell McNeill

### Antioch

F. A. Freeman, Deacon

### Armfield Heights

Earl Oglesby  
Mrs. Ina Rich

### Asbury

Mrs. Ruby Cagle  
Aster Odom, Deacon

### Asheboro First

Mrs. Kenneth McDowell  
Penn Owen  
Lacy Cole  
Mrs. N. B. Miller  
Mrs. Joe Miller  
Colon Kinney  
Wiley Jones, Deacon  
Wilson Grant  
Mrs. Aggie Sanders  
Mrs. J. R. Rickard  
Ervin C. Frye  
Virgil Harmon  
C. C. Harrelson  
Henry Mills  
Arnold Jones

### Balfour

N. J. Williams  
R. B. McElhannon  
Price Pugh

### Beulah

Mrs. Hattie Leonard  
Mrs. Lydia A. Maness

### Calvary

Mrs. Sahanna Blake

### Cedar Falls

Mrs. Louise Robbins

### Central Falls

Joe Brantley, Deacon  
W. T. Alcon

### Clear View

Clarence Gray

### Caraway

Mrs. James Hicks

### Deep River

Miss Floy Davis  
Mrs. Lillie Cox  
Mrs. Flossie Powers  
Mrs. Ada Poole

### Forest Park

Dwight Goins  
T. J. Westmoreland

### Franklinville

Mrs. Mattie York  
J. E. McCorquodale  
Paul Prevo

**Glenola**

Mrs. Nora Tomlinson

**Gravel Hill**

Grady Dorsett

Mrs. Dolan Latham

**Greystone**

Bob Smith

**Hughes Grove**

Dave Pullum

**Huldah**

Elmer Clayton

Walter L. Spencer

Mrs. Dale Miller

**Jackson Creek**

Mrs. Millie Smith

**Liberty First**

Mrs. Beulah Overman

Mrs. Lucy Frazier

R. M. Garner

Mrs. Edith Arrington

Middleton Dark

Rev. J. C. Edwards

Mrs. Henry Lambert

**Macedonia**

James Wicker

**Maple Springs**

Mrs. Ella King

**Mt. Lebanon**

Mrs. Lora Lanier

Mrs. R. M. Hurley

Alvin Luther

**Mt. Pleasant**

Charlie Kivett

**Ramseur First**

Homer Loflin

Mrs. Ella Ward

Charles Denson

R. J. Busick

Clyde McAllister

N. A. Gibson

**Randleman First**

Mrs. Lula Wilkerson

Mrs. Bessie Roberson

**Richland**

Mrs. Christine Byrum

**Riverside**

Baxter Deaton

Archie Kearns

**Shady Grove**

Luke Edwards, Deacon

**Union Grove**

Redding Albright

Mrs. Rufus Beck, Sr.

Mrs. Zella Boone

Odell Kennedy

Walker Maness

Mrs. Ida Stutts

**Westfield**

Mrs. Ida Parrish

J. D. Alberson

Elwood Summey

West Stoneman

**Whites Memorial**

Wesley Webster

**Oakhurst**

Mrs. W. F. Hoots

Mrs. J. V. McCombs

**Seagrove First**

Michael Moore

# Record of Receipts

Antioch	\$ 130.00
Armfield Heights	311.99
Asbury	120.00
Asheboro, First	2,442.00
Balfour	1,050.00
Beulah	330.00
Calvary	90.00
Caraway	170.00
Cedar Falls	156.00
Center Cross	125.00
Central Falls	205.00
Clear View	177.75
Deep River	420.00
Fayetteville Street	- 0 -
Forest Park	290.48
Franklinville	540.00
Glenola	642.17
Gravel Hill	67.20
Greystone	596.00
High Rock	- 0 -
Hughes Grove	153.00
Huldah	250.00
Jackson Creek	60.00
Liberty First	720.00
Macedonia	559.28
Maple Springs	200.00
Mt. Lebanon	300.00
Mt. Pleasant	456.00
Oakhurst	1,073.00
Oakwood Park	200.00
Panther Creek	60.00
Ramseur	948.00
Randleman First	939.00
Red Cross	5.00
Richland	120.00
Riverside	120.00
Russell's Grove	1,589.78
Sandy Creek	165.00
Shady Grove	25.00
Union Grove	720.00
West Asheboro	93.40
Westfield	- 0 -
Whites Memorial	15.00
Seagrove First	120.00
ESophia	200.00
State Convention	660.00
Sales Tax Refund	74.60
WMU Refund	48.00
Worthville	120.00
Long Distance Calls	15.59

TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR YEAR \$17,799.24



## Suggested Goals For 1975

	1975 Monthly	1975 Annually
Antioch -----	\$ 10.00	120.00
Armfield Heights -----	25.00	300.00
Asbury -----	30.00	360.00
Asheboro, First -----	200.00	2,400.00
Balfour -----	110.00	1,320.00
Beulah -----	60.00	720.00
Calvary -----	15.00	180.00
Caraway -----	15.00	180.00
Cedar Falls -----	15.00	
Central Falls -----	25.00	300.00
Center Cross -----	15.00	180.00
Clear View -----	25.00	300.00
Cool Springs -----	- 0 -	- 0 -
Deep River -----	40.00	480.00
Fayetteville St. -----	- 0 -	- 0 -
Franklinville -----	65.00	780.00
Forest Park -----	25.00	300.00
Glenola -----	50.00	600.00
Gravel Hill -----	15.00	180.00
Greystone -----	60.00	720.00
High Rock -----	10.00	120.00
Hughes Grove -----	25.00	300.00
Huldah -----	25.00	300.00
Jackson Creek -----	10.00	120.00
Liberty, First -----	65.00	780.00
Macedonia -----	40.00	480.00
Maple Springs -----	25.00	300.00
Mt. Lebanon -----	40.00	480.00
Mt. Pleasant -----	35.00	420.00
Oakhurst -----	110.00	1,320.00
Oakwood Park -----	20.00	240.00
Panther Creek -----	20.00	120.00
Ramseur, First -----	80.00	960.00
Randleman, First -----	80.00	960.00
Red Cross -----	10.00	120.00
Riverside -----	20.00	240.00
Richland -----	10.00	120.00
Russell's Grove -----	125.00	1,500.00
Sandy Creek -----	20.00	240.00
Seagrove, First -----	10.00	120.00
Shady Grove -----	25.00	240.00
Sophia -----	20.00	300.00
Union Grove -----	75.00	900.00
West Asheboro -----	10.00	120.00
Westfield -----	10.00	120.00
White's Memorial -----	15.00	180.00
Worthville -----	15.00	180.00
Total Suggested Goals for 1975 -----	\$1,740.00	\$20,880.00

52 Mrs. Roy McNeill presented the report on Appreciation.

## Appreciation

We, the Randolph Baptist Association, have so much to be thankful for, God has blessed us this another year through the leadership of our dedicated pastors and Rev. Talmadge Smith, our Superintendent of Missions, to each of you we want to say "Thank You."

To our fine Moderator, Clerk, and those who brought the messages in word and in song, thank you for a job well done. We are grateful for each one who labored long hours just to bring us the committee reports.

Truly our host churches, Franklinville and Ramseur First have made each of us feel more than welcome. They supplied over and above our needs with the refreshments and meal as well as their kindness.

As we start a new year let each of us pray for the leadership of the Sweet Holy Spirit for our own individual lives and our Churches.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. Roy H. McNeill  
Mrs. Lela Carter

53 Speaking for the Biblical Recorder was Bro. Coy Privette.

54 Report of Field Worker and message by Rev. R. T. Smith.

## Report of Field Worker

Days on field .....	355
Days away .....	10
Sermons preached .....	83
Other talks .....	10
Taught Sunday School .....	5
Conducted Prayer meetings .....	14
Study Courses taught .....	3
Conference with individuals .....	1,790
Conference with groups .....	179
Conference with committees .....	20
State meetings attended .....	3
Churches visited in the Association .....	29
Pieces of mail sent out ---- more than .....	8,100
Miles traveled .....	13,737
Professions of faith .....	1
Additions to church .....	3
Weddings performed .....	1
Baptisms .....	1

Respectfully submitted,  
R. T. Smith

55 The gavel was turned over to Bro. Patterson by Rev. Pegram.

Meeting adjourned.

TABLE A. CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION										YEAR ENDING Sep/Oct 30, 1974									
Association										(Month & Day)									
RANDOLPH																			
NORTH CAROLINA																			
Associational Clerk																			
Address																			
Fred Lane																			
P.O. Box 1005																			
Ashboro																			
City																			
State																			
N. C.																			
Zip																			
27203																			
CHURCHES										PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)									
Antioch										Clyde C. Dawkins, Route 8, Box 330, Asheboro 27203									
Armfield Heights										B. C. Owenby, P.O. Box 696, Asheboro 27203									
Ashbury										B. L. Maness, Route 2, Seagrove 27341									
Asheboro, First										J. B. Gibson, P.O. Box 785, Asheboro 27203									
Balfour										G. T. (Tom) Patterson, 1702 N. Fayetteville 27203									
Beulah										Curtis Barbary, Route 2, Bennett 27208									
Calvary										Kenneth Tucker, Route 8, Box 230, Asheboro 27203									
Caraway										Romie Copple, Route 1, Sophia 27350									
Cedar Falls										W. E. Eaton, Box 187, Cedar Falls 27230									
Center Cross										Robert N. Bunsucker, 912 Breeze Hill Road 27203									
Central Falls										J. C. Mangum, Box 306, Central Falls 27232									
Clear View										Clyde Statts, Route 1, Franklinville 27248									
Deep River										Albert Taylor, Box 11, Cotteridge 27234									
Forest Park										William Slate, 321 McKnight St., Asheboro 27203									
Franklinville										M.A. Pegram, P.O. Box 111, Franklinville 27248									
Glenola										Cabot Iman, Route 3, High Point 27263									
Gravel Hill										F. E. Baucom, Route 3, Denton 27239									
Greystone										Andrew P. Grose, 863 Greystone Road 27203									
High Rock										Ray Swaney, Route 1, Trinity 27370									
Hughes Grove										John W. Wheelles, Route 2, Thomasville 27360									
Hulda										Steve Melborn, Route 8, Asheboro 27203									
Jackson Creek										Tommy Wallis, Route 14, Lexington 27292									
Liberty, First										Reginald G. Davkins, Box 815, Liberty 27298									
Macedonia										Norman Livingood, Route 2, Liberty 27298									
Randolph										1880									

County

Year organized as a church

Location

Services held twice on Sunday?

Y N

Total Baptisms

Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)

Present resident members

Present nonresident members

Grand total present members

No. members received from non-Baptist Churches

No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches

Value of pastor's home if owned by the church

Value of church property including pastor's home

Total church debt at end of this associational year

1 - 1960-1969 2 - 1970-1979 3 - 1980-1989 4 - 1990-1999 5 - 2000-2009 6 - 2010-2019 7 - 2020-2029 8 - 2030-2039 9 - 2040-2049 10 - 2050-2059 11 - 2060-2069 12 - 2070-2079 13 - 2080-2089 14 - 2090-2099 15 - 2100-2109 16 - 2110-2119 17 - 2120-2129 18 - 2130-2139 19 - 2140-2149 20 - 2150-2159 21 - 2160-2169 22 - 2170-2179 23 - 2180-2189 24 - 2190-2199 25 - 2200-2209 26 - 2210-2219 27 - 2220-2229 28 - 2230-2239 29 - 2240-2249 30 - 2250-2259 31 - 2260-2269 32 - 2270-2279 33 - 2280-2289 34 - 2290-2299 35 - 2300-2309 36 - 2310-2319 37 - 2320-2329 38 - 2330-2339 39 - 2340-2349 40 - 2350-2359 41 - 2360-2369 42 - 2370-2379 43 - 2380-2389 44 - 2390-2399 45 - 2400-2409 46 - 2410-2419 47 - 2420-2429 48 - 2430-2439 49 - 2440-2449 50 - 2450-2459 51 - 2460-2469 52 - 2470-2479 53 - 2480-2489 54 - 2490-2499 55 - 2500-2509 56 - 2510-2519 57 - 2520-2529 58 - 2530-2539 59 - 2540-2549 60 - 2550-2559 61 - 2560-2569 62 - 2570-2579 63 - 2580-2589 64 - 2590-2599 65 - 2600-2609 66 - 2610-2619 67 - 2620-2629 68 - 2630-2639 69 - 2640-2649 70 - 2650-2659 71 - 2660-2669 72 - 2670-2679 73 - 2680-2689 74 - 2690-2699 75 - 2700-2709 76 - 2710-2719 77 - 2720-2729 78 - 2730-2739 79 - 2740-2749 80 - 2750-2759 81 - 2760-2769 82 - 2770-2779 83 - 2780-2789 84 - 2790-2799 85 - 2800-2809 86 - 2810-2819 87 - 2820-2829 88 - 2830-2839 89 - 2840-2849 90 - 2850-2859 91 - 2860-2869 92 - 2870-2879 93 - 2880-2889 94 - 2890-2899 95 - 2900-2909 96 - 2910-2919 97 - 2920-2929 98 - 2930-2939 99 - 2940-2949 100 - 2950-2959 101 - 2960-2969 102 - 2970-2979 103 - 2980-2989 104 - 2990-2999 105 - 3000-3009 106 - 3010-3019 107 - 3020-3029 108 - 3030-3039 109 - 3040-3049 110 - 3050-3059 111 - 3060-3069 112 - 3070-3079 113 - 3080-3089 114 - 3090-3099 115 - 3100-3109 116 - 3110-3119 117 - 3120-3129 118 - 3130-3139 119 - 3140-3149 120 - 3150-3159 121 - 3160-3169 122 - 3170-3179 123 - 3180-3189 124 - 3190-3199 125 - 3200-3209 126 - 3210-3219 127 - 3220-3229 128 - 3230-3239 129 - 3240-3249 130 - 3250-3259 131 - 3260-3269 132 - 3270-3279 133 - 3280-3289 134 - 3290-3299 135 - 3300-3309 136 - 3310-3319 137 - 3320-3329 138 - 3330-3339 139 - 3340-3349 140 - 3350-3359 141 - 3360-3369 142 - 3370-3379 143 - 3380-3389 144 - 3390-3399 145 - 3400-3409 146 - 3410-3419 147 - 3420-3429 148 - 3430-3439 149 - 3440-3449 150 - 3450-3459 151 - 3460-3469 152 - 3470-3479 153 - 3480-3489 154 - 3490-3499 155 - 3500-3509 156 - 3510-3519 157 - 3520-3529 158 - 3530-3539 159 - 3540-3549 160 - 3550-3559 161 - 3560-3569 162 - 3570-3579 163 - 3580-3589 164 - 3590-3599 165 - 3600-3609 166 - 3610-3619 167 - 3620-3629 168 - 3630-3639 169 - 3640-3649 170 - 3650-3659 171 - 3660-3669 172 - 3670-3679 173 - 3680-3689 174 - 3690-3699 175 - 3700-3709 176 - 3710-3719 177 - 3720-3729 178 - 3730-3739 179 - 3740-3749 180 - 3750-3759 181 - 3760-3769 182 - 3770-3779 183 - 3780-3789 184 - 3790-3799 185 - 3800-3809 186 - 3810-3819 187 - 3820-3829 188 - 3830-3839 189 - 3840-3849 190 - 3850-3859 191 - 3860-3869 192 - 3870-3879 193 - 3880-3889 194 - 3890-3899 195 - 3900-3909 196 - 3910-3919 197 - 3920-3929 198 - 3930-3939 199 - 3940-3949 200 - 3950-3959 201 - 3960-3969 202 - 3970-3979 203 - 3980-3989 204 - 3990-3999 205 - 4000-4009 206 - 4010-4019 207 - 4020-4029 208 - 4030-4039 209 - 4040-4049 210 - 4050-4059 211 - 4060-4069 212 - 4070-4079 213 - 4080-4089 214 - 4090-4099 215 - 4100-4109 216 - 4110-4119 217 - 4120-4129 218 - 4130-4139 219 - 4140-4149 220 - 4150-4159 221 - 4160-4169 222 - 4170-4179 223 - 4180-4189 224 - 4190-4199 225 - 4200-4209 226 - 4210-4219 227 - 4220-4229 228 - 4230-4239 229 - 4240-4249 230 - 4250-4259 231 - 4260-4269 232 - 4270-4279 233 - 4280-4289 234 - 4290-4299 235 - 4300-4309 236 - 4310-4319 237 - 4320-4329 238 - 4330-4339 239 - 4340-4349 240 - 4350-4359 241 - 4360-4369 242 - 4370-4379 243 - 4380-4389 244 - 4390-4399 245 - 4400-4409 246 - 4410-4419 247 - 4420-4429 248 - 4430-4439 249 - 4440-4449 250 - 4450-4459 251 - 4460-4469 252 - 4470-4479 253 - 4480-4489 254 - 4490-4499 255 - 4500-4509 256 - 4510-4519 257 - 4520-4529 258 - 4530-4539 259 - 4540-4549 260 - 4550-4559 261 - 4560-4569 262 - 4570-4579 263 - 4580-4589 264 - 4590-4599 265 - 4600-4609 266 - 4610-4619 267 - 4620-4629 268 - 4630-4639 269 - 4640-4649 270 - 4650-4659 271 - 4660-4669 272 - 4670-4679 273 - 4680-4689 274 - 4690-4699 275 - 4700-4709 276 - 4710-4719 277 - 4720-4729 278 - 4730-4739 279 - 4740-4749 280 - 4750-4759 281 - 4760-4769 282 - 4770-4779 283 - 4780-4789 284 - 4790-4799 285 - 4800-4809 286 - 4810-4819 287 - 4820-



**TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL** YEAR ENDING September 30 1974  
(Month & Day)

Association		(Month & Day)																			
RANDOLPH																					
State																					
NORTH CAROLINA																					
Associational Sunday School Director																					
Address		City		State		Zip															
Andrew P. Crose		Asheboro		N. C.		27203															
863 Greystone Road																					
CHURCHES																					
		Children enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Young Adult enrollment (12-17 years or H.S. graduation to 22 years)	Adult enrollment (23-59 years or 30 to retirement)	Senior Adult enrollment (60 and over or retirement and over)	Homebound Units enrollment	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of missions of church	Total ongoing Sunday School enrollment	Average weekly Sunday School attendance	Number of Bible Study Groups	Bible Study Groups enrollment	Weekly Bible Study enrollment	Church Y. B. S. enrollment	Mission Y. B. S. enrollment	Total Y. B. S. enrollment					
Antioch	Johnny Sams, Box 48, Randelman	27317	3	7	14	20	14	6	4	0	2	14	0	68	48	1	1	0	50	0	50
Armfield Heights	A.A. Walker, 337 Sunset Drive, Asheboro	27203	5	16	10	34	20	25	2	0	0	4	0	116	74	0	0	0	107	0	107
Asbury	Ed Hogan, Route 2, Seagrave	27341	8	15	52	27	27	75	44	0	0	0	0	248	182	0	0	0	82	1	82
Asheboro, First	Fred Lane, Box 1005, Asheboro	27203	25	39	127	111	114	208	131	0	30	11	12	808	340	0	0	0	125	0	125
Balfour	T. Rick Smith, 419 Foster St., Asheboro	27203	15	33	79	28	60	111	41	0	15	4	0	386	226	0	0	0	138	0	138
Bulah	Lester Myrick, Route 2, Bennett	27208	32	57	76	49	99	122	46	0	0	5	0	486	425	0	0	0	204	0	204
Calvary	Bobby Poole, Route 4, Box 30, Asheboro	27203	1	4	7	1	0	24	3	0	0	0	0	40	26	0	0	0	54	0	54
Caraway	Boonie Lane, Route 1, Sophia	27350	2	5	8	15	19	34	0	0	0	2	0	85	57	0	0	0	50	0	50
Cedar Falls	Clyde Honeycutt, Cedar Falls	27230	6	8	35	14	18	50	6	0	0	2	0	139	86	0	0	0	69	0	69
Center Cross	Billy Sellers, Route 8, Asheboro	27203	2	12	20	14	35	17	14	0	0	2	0	116	83	0	0	0	95	0	95
Central Falls	Larry Hinchshaw, Route 5, Asheboro	27203	8	17	39	23	37	75	25	0	0	9	0	233	152	0	0	0	99	0	99
Clear View	Leon Cox, P.O. Box 687, Ramseur	27316	4	11	15	17	21	13	3	0	0	3	0	87	75	0	0	0	109	0	109
Deep River	Jerry Atwood, Asheboro	27203	15	8	30	19	19	86	27	0	0	3	0	207	148	0	0	0	70	0	70
Forest Park	Gilbert Ingold, 973 Central Falls, Asheboro	27203	18	13	64	28	13	57	0	0	0	3	0	156	131	0	0	0	256	0	256
Franklinville	Bob Gross, Route 6, Asheboro	27203	0	5	20	22	12	62	18	0	15	4	0	158	85	0	0	0	33	0	33
Glenola	Jesse Edmonds, Route 3, Box 1050, High Point	27263	6	16	19	10	67	71	26	0	17	7	0	239	172	0	0	0	70	0	70
Gravel Hill	Neal Latham, Denton	27239	4	8	12	17	31	20	15	0	0	5	0	112	61	0	0	0	42	0	42
Greystone	Jim Covington, Route 2, Asheboro	27203	14	23	24	39	20	87	0	5	0	4	0	216	119	0	0	0	97	32	129
High Rock			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hughes Grove	Gerald Causey, Route 1, Trinity	27263	10	25	37	33	23	89	33	0	0	1	0	254	230	0	0	0	122	0	122
HulDAH	Truman Pritchard, Route 4, Asheboro	27203	12	13	21	32	31	49	0	0	0	0	0	159	116	0	0	0	135	0	135
Jackson Creek	Willis Hughes, Route 1, Trinity	27263	4	8	16	9	14	13	4	0	0	3	0	71	42	0	0	0	70	0	70
Liberty, First	J.T. Martin, P.O. Box 366, Liberty	27298	5	15	27	32	20	19	0	0	0	4	0	165	100	0	0	0	70	0	70
Macedonia	Roy Holder, Route 1, Liberty	27298	2	5	29	19	12	67	29	0	0	7	0	170	116	0	0	0	65	0	65





TABLE C TRAINING UNION  
Association \_\_\_\_\_ YEAR ENDING September 30, 1974  
(Month & Day)

RANDOLPH																					
State	NORTH CAROLINA																				
Associational Training Union Director James Painter																					
Address	City	State	Zip																		
581 Manor Circle				27203																	
CHURCHES				TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)																	
Ashboro, First				James Painter, 581 Manor Circle, Ashboro	27203	38	28	53	0	43	0	7	0	169	70	25	21	100	100	4	0
Balfour				Joe Church, 300 Tremont Drive, Ashboro	27203	26	25	46	0	51	0	4	0	153	98	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cedar Falls				Mrs. Virginia West, Academy St., Franklinville	27248	0	0	2	4	12	0	2	1	20	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
Central Falls						0	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	25	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forest Park				Carl King, 125 Oak Lane, Randolman	27317	0	9	14	0	15	0	3	0	41	25	0	0	0	0	0	0
Franklinville				Miss Myra Grose, Route 6, Ashboro	27203	0	0	1	1	8	0	3	0	13	10	0	1	0	0	0	0
Graystone				Mrs. Hazel McCollum, 114 Boyd Avenue, Ashboro	27203	11	19	20	0	26	0	5	0	81	42	0	0	0	0	0	0
High Rock						11	12	14	26	32	0	0	0	95	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberty, First				Frank Routh, 4303 Kimmoridge Dr., Greensboro		4	11	4	8	2	0	2	0	31	24	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Pleasant				Fletcher Fugh, Route 1, Liberty	27208	5	7	25	10	8	6	3	0	64	55	6	6	41	36	1	9
Oakhurst				Jin Hare, Route 2, Cranbrook Circle, Ashboro	27203	7	37	39	0	32	0	6	0	121	58	28	0	0	0	6	6
Oakwood Park				Doyle Owen, 513 Holly St., Ashboro	27203	3	3	21	0	15	0	1	0	43	25	0	0	0	0	0	0
Parlier Creek				John Reane, Route 4, Ashboro	27203	2	0	9	11	6	0	5	0	33	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ramsaur, First				Bill Hogan, P.O. Box 524, Ramsaur	27316	6	9	28	0	13	0	2	0	58	31	0	0	0	0	0	0
Randolman, First				Ray Cashatt, Route 3, Box 400, Randolman	27317	0	15	5	0	15	0	2	0	37	25	10	5	0	0	20	15
Russell's Grove				Jerry Chisacoe, Ashboro	27203	16	7	10	5	22	0	3	0	63	48	0	0	0	0	0	0
Seagrave, First				Wayne Smith, Route 7, Ashboro	27203	2	8	8	0	14	0	0	0	32	18	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shady Grove				Philip Burgess, Route 1, Staley	27355	7	10	6	0	17	0	2	0	42	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Grove				Delbert Garner, Route 1, Seagrave	27341	10	15	16	13	11	25	2	0	92	87	0	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC					
Association  Site  Associate Associational Music Director  Address	YEAR ENDING September 30 (Month & Day)				
	RANDOLPH				
	NORTH CAROLINA				
	Associational Music Director				
	William McIlwaine				
	City State N.C.				
	Asheboro Zip Route 8 27203				
MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)					
CHURCHES					
Antioch	Mrs. Lillie Craven, Route 4, Box 284, Asheboro	27203			
Armfield Heights	Mrs. Cynthia Wilson, Route 1, Box 444, Asheboro	27203			
Ashbury	Bobby J. Maness, Route 1, Box 420, Ramseur	27316			
Asheboro, First	Jerry Jones, General Deliverty, Robbins				
Balfour	Mrs. Joe Church, 900 Tremont Drive, Asheboro	27203			
Bulah	Rev. Nolan Jackson, Route 2, Bennett				
Calvary	Bobby Poole, Route 4, Box 30, Asheboro	27203			
Caraway	Beonie Lane, Route 1, Sophia	27350			
Cedar Falls	George Saunders, Route 3, Randleman	27317			
Center Cross	Laverette Strider, Route 8, Asheboro	27203			
Central Falls	Walter M. Strider, Route 7, Asheboro	27203			
Clear View	Mrs. Audrey Nance, Route 1, Box 205, Franklinville	27248			
Deep River	Clao Cain, Route 1, Ramseur	27316			
Forest Park	Carl King, 125 Oak Lane, Randleman	27317			
Franklinville					
Glenala	Wayne Trotter, Route 1, Box 265, Sophia	27350			
Gravel Hill	Paul Caple, Route 3, Danion	27239			
Greystone	William McIlwaine, Route 8, Asheboro	27203			
Hick Rock	Max Swall, Route 2, Asheboro	27203			
Hughes Grove	Stone Gallimore, Route 2, Thomasville	27360			
HulDAH	Louis Thomas, Route 4, Asheboro	27203			
Jackson Creek	Ronald Grubb, Route 1, Trinity	27350			
Liberty, First	Pike Johnson, P.O. Box 926, Liberty	27298			
Macedonia	Mrs. Maxine Livengood, Route 2, Liberty	27298			
Maple Springs	Gene Harwick, Route 8, Box 89, Asheboro	27203			





## RANDOLPH

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational WMU Director

Address Mrs. Calvin Brogert

City Asheville

State N.C.

Zip 27203

## WMU DIRECTIONS &amp; ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)

CHURCHES	WMO DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	(M) Mission Friends (15 years and under—not in school)	(G) Girls in Action (6-11 years or Grades 1-6)	(A) Actress (12-17 years or Grades 7-12)	(BYW) Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	Total number of organizations	(M) Mission Friends (15 years and under—not in school)	(G) Girls in Action (6-11 years or Grades 1-6)	(A) Actress (12-17 years or Grades 7-12)	(BYW) Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	WMU officers (30 and over)	Enrollment	WMU	Mission Friends	Girls in Action	Actress	Baptist Young Women	Total
Armfield Heights	Mrs. Ann Parrott, 610 Legend Drive, Asheboro	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	4	5	10	3	0	15	4	0	33
Asbury	Mrs. Eva Luck, Route 2, Seagrove	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	12	0	12	0	0	7	-	0	19
Asheboro, First		3	5	1	1	1	0	11	26	37	14	10	129	8	0	274	0	274
Balfour	Mrs. Jfm Smith, 225 W. Beasley Street, Asheboro	1	2	1	1	0	6	22	23	18	25	26	2	0	116	0	116	0
Calvary	Mrs. Wilhena Poole, Route 4, Box 30, Asheboro	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Caraway	Mrs. Earl Underwood, Route 2, Sophia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cedar Falls	Mrs. Ethel Eaton, Box 187, Cedar Falls	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central Falls	Mrs. O.P. Loman, 901 Liberty Road, Asheboro	1	1	1	0	1	4	12	10	8	0	32	1	0	63	0	63	0
Clear View	Mrs. Sue Cain, Route 1, Franklinville	0	1	1	0	1	3	0	4	5	0	9	7	0	25	0	25	0
Forest Park	Mrs. Carl King, 125 Oak Lane, Randeman	1	2	1	0	1	5	8	22	8	0	17	3	0	58	0	58	0
Franklinville	Mrs. Corilla Williamson, P.O. Box 32, Franklinville	1	0	1	0	1	3	3	0	5	0	11	3	0	22	0	22	0
Greystone	Mrs. Ruby Nance, 703 S. Main Street, Asheboro	1	1	0	0	3	6	8	9	0	0	31	7	8	63	0	63	0
Jackson Creek	Mrs. Hoyt Hicks, Route 2, Ruth Drive, Thomasville	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	4	3	0	12	0	12	0
Liberty, First	Mrs. Matt Gay, P.O. Box 755, Liberty	1	1	1	0	0	1	4	5	7	5	-	33	7	0	57	0	57
Macedonia	Mrs. Lee Garrett, Route 1, Liberty	1	1	0	0	1	3	12	10	0	0	13	3	0	38	0	38	0
Maple Springs	Mrs. Thurman Davis, Route 7, Box 326, Asheboro	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	11	1	0	12	0	12	0
Mt. Lebanon	Mrs. Sara Reynolds, Mainman Avenue, Asheboro	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	9	3	0	12	0	12	0
Mt. Pleasant	Mrs. Rose Filledse, Route 1, Liberty	1	1	1	1	0	5	7	14	15	7	33	7	0	83	0	83	0
Oakhurst	Mrs. Carol McDowell, 1623 Third Street, Asheboro	1	1	1	0	1	4	6	15	12	0	32	1	0	66	0	66	0
Oakwood Park	Mrs. Ben Davis, Route 1, Box 427, Asheboro	1	1	1	0	1	4	5	9	8	0	10	3	0	35	0	35	0
Pamseur, First	Mrs. Gary Kinrev, P.O. Box 573, Ramseur	1	1	1	1	0	5	8	3	10	5	20	8	0	54	0	54	0
Randeman, First		1	1	1	0	1	4	7	10	3	0	10	7	0	37	0	37	0
Russell's Grove	Miss Carolyn King, Route 5, Asheboro	1	1	1	0	1	4	8	9	7	0	21	1	0	46	0	46	0
Sandy Creek	Mrs. Doris Thompson, Liberty	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	13	3	0	16	0	16	0
Shady Grove	Mrs. Marsha Chancery, Route 1, Staley	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	11	1	0	12	0	12	0



TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION  
 Association \_\_\_\_\_ YEAR ENDING September 30, 1974  
 (Month & Day)

RANDOLPH					(Month & Day)		Number of Organizations							Enrollment																								
NORTH CAROLINA							WMU DIRECTIONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)																															
Associational WMU Director																																						
Address					City		State		Zip																													
Route 4, Inwood Road					Asheboro		N. C.		27203																													
CHURCHES																																						
Union Grove					Mrs. Catherine Boone, Route 2, Seagrave		27341		1		1		1		1		1		5		10		8		6		8		13		12		4		47		98	
Northville					Mrs. Lynn Hudson, 701 Allred Street, Randleman		27317		0		0		0		1		0		1		1		0		0		0		8		5		0		13			



**TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP** YEAR ENDING 3-30-1974  
(Month & Day)

Association	State	City	State	Zip	21	22	23	24	126	127	122	129	130	131	132	133	134	135
					Number of others	Budget from other churches during the year	Cooperative total budget as percent of total budget	Associational missions goal as percent of total budget	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during the year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
<b>RANDOLPH</b>																		
<b>NORTH CAROLINA</b>																		
Associational Treasurer																		
Address	James R. Lane	Asheboro	N. C.	27203														
	913 Siamrock Road	Asheboro	N. C.	27203														
<b>CHURCHES</b>																		
Antioch					20	x			6,536	1,783		1,783	1,750	4,441	1,876	190	7,392	7,392
Armfield Heights					20	x	10%	1%	25,275	0	25,275	43,000	19,072	39,500	3,649	1,292	2,737	65,250
Asbury					42	x			36,309	28	36,337	0	8,355	0	16,114	585	10,219	35,273
Asheboro, First					270	x	17%		112,162	13,748	124,910	0	46,326	0	7,800	3,436	29,242	87,014
Balfour					270	x	19%		74,934	907	75,841	0	18,091	0	0	3,233	40,094	61,418
Beulah					210	x			149,312	0	149,312	0	36,137	42,438	40,506	2,200	19,605	141,086
Calvary					14	x	6%		6,772	676	7,449	0	2,919	9,023	0	268	1,312	13,523
Caraway							10% 10%		11,467	0	11,467	0	3,227	0	0	116	3,402	6,747
Cedar Falls					14		5%	2%	26,207	524	26,731	0	5,083	21,845	0	415	1,934	29,278
Center Cross					14	x	5%	71%	16,049	429	16,478	0	9,720	0	0	394	187	10,301
Central Falls					60	x	4%		34,417	819	35,236	0	11,460	0	0	421	13,174	25,055
Clear View					23	x	5%	1%	22,415	0	22,415	0	7,754	0	7,143	429	4,749	20,075
Deep River							12%		24,866	0	24,886	0	10,600	0	2,431	1,006	7,323	21,361
Forest Park					60	x	10% 1%		29,811	313	30,124	70,500	8,197	2,103	884	1,956	8,836	21,976
Franklinville					40	x	15% 1%		30,728	0	30,728	0	8,366	0	13,336	1,064	5,306	28,162
Glenola					69	x	5%	2%	33,664	0	33,664	0	9,160	0	4,200	1,091	11,973	26,424
Gravel Hill					18	x			19,318	0	19,318	0	6,835	0	0	264	2,424	9,523
Graystone					48	x	13%	1%	57,268	230	57,498	0	16,004	0	1,435	2,090	27,585	47,114
High Rock					-				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hudges Grove					83	x			49,209	0	49,209	0	11,510	15,000	7,700	-	11,245	45,445
HulDAH						x			33,246	1,084	34,340	0	8,630	0	1,692	727	16,287	27,336
Jackson Creek					16				7,500	0	7,500	0	2,325	2,800	0	219	516	
Liberty, First					x				28,082	38,593	66,675	0	14,355	0	0	1,450	10,336	26,141
Macedonia					36	x	9%	2%	37,995	65	38,059	0	8,486	0	15,228	609	10,122	34,905





TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES  
Association

State		Site		CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODES)				Other Mission Cause Expenditures				Grand Total			
NORTH CAROLINA		R. T. Smith		State		Zip									
Associational Superintendent of Missions (Associational Ministry)		251 S. Elm		Asheboro		27203									
Address		City		N. C.											



TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES Association

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES			YEAR ENDING September 30 1974		OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES																	Grand Total			
Association					CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS		CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS										OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES							Grand Total	
RANDOLPH					CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)										OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES							Grand Total	
State					CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)										OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES							Grand Total	
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October 21

UNION GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH

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Tuesday, October 19, 1976 — Balfour Baptist

Wednesday, October 20, 1976 — Forest Park

Annual Sermon: William E. Slate; Alternate: Tommy Butler

Doctrinal Sermon: Garland Hall; Alternate: Kenneth Tucker

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## ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

Moderator ..... G. T. Patterson      Clerk ..... Fred Lane  
Vice Moderator .... W. A. Gillett, Jr.      Treasurer ..... James R. Lane

### Associational Officers

Brotherhood Director ..... William Applewhite

Music Director ..... William A. McIlvaine

Trustees:    H. Wade Yates, Chairman  
              W. Sumner Farlow  
              Alton P. Wall

Chairman of Evangelism ..... W. A. Gillett, Jr.

Hospital Representative ..... Hansel Neathery

Children's Homes Representative ..... T. W. Nelson

Baptist Homes for the Aging Representative ..... Kenneth Tucker

Literature Chairman ..... Carl Ziegler

Temperance and Morals ..... Neal Cockerham

Annuity Board Representative ..... Carl King

Cooperative Program Representative ..... B. C. Owenby

Church Training Director ..... Mrs. T. B. McCollum, Jr.

Church Member Training ..... Charles Beane

Church Leader Training ..... Joe Anderson

New Member Orientation ..... Doyle Owen

### Sunday School Officers

Sunday School Director ..... Andrew P. Grose

Division Directors:

Pre-School Director ..... Mrs. W. T. Denson

Children's Director ..... Otus Thomas

Youth Director ..... William E. Slate

Adult Director ..... Benny Hampton

V.B.S. Director ..... W. S. Baughman, Jr.

## Committees

### Committee on Nominations

Mr. Colon McNeill, Chrm.  
Mrs. Carl King  
Rev. M. A. Pegram  
Mr. Al Walker  
Mr. Cicero Bennett

### Committee on Order of Business

Rev. Bob Pratt, Chrm.  
Rev. Justus McKeel  
Mr. Carl King  
Mrs. Carol Loman

### Committee on Budget and Finance

Rev. W. A. Gillett, Jr.  
Mr. Waldo Hodgins  
Mr. Jim Hare  
Rev. W. E. Slate  
Rev. Carl Zeigler  
Mr. James Lane

### Committee on Ordination

Rev. John Wheelles, Chrm.  
Rev. Tom Brown  
Rev. Kenneth Tucker  
Rev. Reginald Dawkins  
Rev. Tommy Butler

### Missions Committee

Rev. Clyde Stutts, Chrm.  
Rev. F. E. Baucom  
Mr. Fred Snider  
Mr. Truman Pritchard

### Committee on Constitution

Mr. Wade Yates, Chrm.  
Rev. Wayne Hill  
Mr. Otus Thomas

### Committee on Reception of New Churches

Rev. W. E. Eaton, Chrm.  
Rev. Robert Hunsucker  
Mr. David Trotter

### Committee on Appreciation

Mrs. Ruth McNeil, Chrm.  
Mrs. Lela Carter

### Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher

Rev. B. C. Owenby, Chrm.  
Rev. D. O. Wright  
Mr. Carlie Edwards

### Committee on Memorials

Rev. W. C. Baughman, Chrm.  
Mrs. Barbara Winslow

### House and Grounds Committee

Rev. Garland Hall, Chrm.  
Mr. R. R. Kennedy  
Mrs. Lottie Lane  
Mrs. Doris Craven

## CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

### ARTICLE I — NAME AND OBJECT

Section 1. The name of the organization shall be the Randolph Baptist Association.

Section 2. The purpose of this organization shall be:

- a. The promotion of harmony, fellowship and cooperation among the churches of the Association.
- b. The propagation of the Gospel within the territory of the Association and to the uttermost part of the earth.
- c. The promotion of the missionary, education and benevolent causes of Christ within the Association and in cooperation with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

### ARTICLE II — MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. The membership of the Association shall consist of messengers of Baptist churches regularly affiliated with the Association. All churches desiring affiliation with the Association shall present to the Committee on Reception of New Churches proper petitions, accompanied by satisfactory evidences of doctrinal regularity and general acceptability. After one year under the watchcare of the Association the said Committee will report to the Association its recommendation. Upon a favorable vote of two-thirds majority of the messengers present at the annual associational meeting the petitioning church may become regularly affiliated with the Association.

"Fellowship may be withdrawn by the Association at any annual meeting upon recommendation of the Executive Committee, from any church in its membership that has been found, by due investigation, to have departed from the Missionary Baptist faith and practices, or has failed to abide by the provision of this Constitution and By-laws, or has failed to either have its pastor or lay member or both in attendance in one or more of the four regular meetings of the Executive Committee, or has failed to make a contribution to the expenses of the Association in addition to the cost of Association minutes, or has failed to properly prepare and return to the Association office a copy of the associational letter, or has failed to send one or more messengers to the annual session of the Association."

(B) Such a church may, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee and vote of the Association, be placed on probation until the conditions prompting such action have been corrected. Messengers from any church on probation shall not be allowed to vote in the meetings of the Association.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of each church to furnish to the Association each year a letter, on the form provided by the Clerk, giving full information and statistics provided for on the form, and to send with the letter or by messenger a contribution toward the cost of printing the minutes and other expenses of the Association.

Section 4. It is understood that each church in this Association is independent and sovereign in its own affairs, and the Association has no authority over the churches, except of an advisory nature.

Section 5. A church may withdraw from membership in the Association by a vote of the church according to its own by-laws, regulations or procedure.

### ARTICLE III — MEETINGS

Section 1. The Association shall meet annually on two days during the week following the Third Sunday in October.

Section 2. The annual meeting shall be composed of messengers

chosen by the respective churches of the Association from their membership. *Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members, or fraction thereof, above one hundred it has enrolled, but not to exceed ten such messengers.* All pastors in the Association and the Field Worker are messengers in all the Associational Meetings, each having but one vote.

Section 3. The Association may hold a Mid-Term meeting each spring at such time and place as may be determined by the Association or its Executive Committee. The purpose of the Mid-Term meeting shall be that of information and inspiration without the transaction of business, except that urgent matters of business which cannot well be delayed until a later meeting may be considered and acted upon.

Section 4. Other meetings of the Association may be held when called by the Executive Committee.

#### ARTICLE IV — OFFICERS

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, and three Trustees.

Section 2. These officers shall be elected on the first day of the regular annual session. The prior approval and consent to serve, if elected, shall have been secured from a prospective nominee prior to placing his name in nomination for any one of the several associational elective offices. They shall take office at the close of the Annual Session and serve through the next Annual Session. Any officer may be re-elected with the exception of the Moderator, who shall not serve more than two years in succession.

##### Section 3. Duties of the Officers:

- a. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the Association and discharge such duties as are incumbent on the presiding officer of a deliberative body.
- b. The Vice-Moderator shall perform the duties of the Moderator in the absence of or at the request of the Moderator.
- c. The Clerk shall record and preserve the proceeding of the Association, together with the reports and statistics, and have the same printed and distributed. The Treasurer shall preserve all money paid into the treasury, pay the same to the order of the Association, and make a full and complete report of all receipts and disbursements at the Annual Meeting.
- d. The duties of the Trustees shall be to transfer or hold title to any properties for the Association. All transactions of said Trustees shall be authorized by the Association or its Executive Committee.

Section 4. The Association endorses the continued operation of organizations among the churches of the Association for the promotion of the various phases of their work including the Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, Baptist Brotherhood and Woman's Missionary Union. The officers of the Associational Sunday School, Associational Baptist Training Union, and the Associational Baptist Brotherhood shall be nominated by their Nominating Committee and the Nominating Committee of the Association, and approved and elected by the Executive Committee of the Association, and shall serve from October 1 to September 30. The Woman's Missionary Union shall be recognized as an auxiliary organization of the Association.

## ARTICLE V — EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Section 1. The Association shall have an Executive Committee comprised of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Trustees of the Association, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Associational Baptist Brotherhood Director, Associational Woman's Missionary Union Director, the Associational Field Worker, all pastors, all church educational directors, and one member of each church in the Association desiring representation on the Committee.

### Section 2.

- a. The Executive Committee shall hold meetings once each quarter during the second month of the quarter, the date to be set by the Board itself, and at such other times as may be required at the call of the Moderator, or at the call of not less than five members of the Executive Committee.
- b. Twenty members of the Executive Committee shall be required to be present to constitute a quorum.
- c. To act for and on behalf of the Association between sessions.
- d. To carry out the orders and resolutions of the Association pertaining to it.
- e. To superintend the Associational Mission work, employ a missionary and determine the salary to be paid.
- f. To *fill* vacancies which may occur during the year in the personnel of the Associational officers or workers for the remainder of such unexpired term.
- g. To investigate any report of complaint that may be brought to its attention about irregularity of doctrine, practice, or conduct on the part of any individual or group in the Association and report its finding with such recommendations as it considers advisable, to the Association in a regular meeting.
- h. To make such recommendations as it may deem wise for the strengthening and upbuilding of the churches and the work of the Association.
- i. The Executive Committee shall not involve the Association in debt to exceed one hundred dollars for necessary operating expenses of the Association.
- j. To appoint and elect the officers for the Associational organizations of the Sunday School, Church Training, and Baptist Brotherhood.

## ARTICLE VI — ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

### Section 1:

- a. The Associational Council shall be composed of the following Associational officers: Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Associational Woman's Missionary Union Director, Associational Brotherhood Director, Associational Music Director, Chairman of the Evangelism Committee, Chairman of the Budget Committee, Chairman of the Missions Committee, the Field Worker, and others deemed necessary by the Moderator to carry on the work of the Association.



- b. The Moderator shall serve as Chairman of the Council, the Vice-Moderator as vice chairman, and the clerk as secretary.

#### Section 2:

- a. The Associational Council shall hold meetings once each quarter and at such other times as deemed necessary by the Chairman or at the call of not less than 5 members of the Council.
- b. Seven members of the Council shall be present to constitute a quorum.
- c. The duties of the Associational Council shall be:
  - (1) To plan the general work of the Association.
  - (2) To assign responsibility of the implementation of proposed plans.
  - (3) To receive and help correlate into a general associational program the proposed plans of the individual organizations.
- d. The Council shall give a quarterly report to the Associational Executive Committee along with any recommendations it may have.

### ARTICLE VII — COMMITTEES

Section 1. The Moderator shall appoint a Committee on Committees some weeks before the annual meeting of the Association. This Committee shall prepare its report and shall be given the opportunity to submit its report early on the program of the first day of the annual session. The Committee shall name the following committees to report during the annual session: Committee on Memorials, Committee on Appreciation, and such other committees as may be requested by the Association or Moderator. The Committee on Committees shall also name the following standing committees: Committee on Ordination, Committee on Reception of new churches, Committee on Time, Place and Preacher, Nominating Committee, Committee on Order of Business, Constitution and By-Laws Committee, Budget and Finance Committee, Missions Committee, and such other committees as may be requested by the Association or by the Moderator.

#### Section 2. Duties of the Committees:

- a. The Committee on Time, Place and Preacher will receive all invitations of the churches which desire the Association to meet with them the next year and will recommend to the Association the time and place to meet the following year, without regard to the order in which the invitations may have been received. This Committee will also recommend a preacher and an alternate for the annual sermon and the doctrinal sermon next session.
- b. The Committee on Memorials will prepare a list of those members of the churches who have died during the year and present suitable memorial resolutions for adoption by the Association.
- c. The Committee on Appreciation will prepare and present appropriate resolutions of appreciation.
- d. The Committee on Order of Business will prepare well in advance a suggested order of business for the annual meeting. The committee will notify those who are to make

reports or have part on the program. This suggested order of business will then be presented to the Association at its regular meeting.

- e. The Nominating Committee shall nominate a complete slate of officers for the next year, excepting the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer.
- f. Guiding Principles for the Work of the Missions Committee of the Randolph Association.
  1. The Committee is to seek to discover areas where new work is needed and to lead in the sponsorship or establishment of new work to meet present need or the securing of property by a local church and/or the Association in the anticipation of future need.
  2. All new work does not necessarily need to be nor should be intended to become an organized or constituted church. New work may be started and maintained on the basis of a mission to meet particular need (this provides for institutional missions such as jails, prisons, rest homes, etc.)
  3. The location of missions or new churches shall be determined by the need revealed in an adequate survey conducted by the Missions Committee and local interested groups or churches.
  4. Any church, committee, group or individuals considering beginning new work, acting with or without church sponsorship, should approach the Missions Committee for guidance before having any service or choosing a temporary or permanent location.
  5. The Missions Committee shall institute basic, understandable operational procedures and practices for a mission that leads in establishing and strongly urges that each church establishing a mission does the same. The guidance of missions by the Missions Committee shall continue until a co-operating church or churches can be led to accept the responsibility of sponsorship.
  6. A mission organized or assisted by the Missions Committee shall accept the recognized principles and practices of a church co-operating with the Randolph Association, the Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

## ARTICLE VIII — ORDINATION AND CALLING OF PASTORS

Section 1. Inasmuch as the ordination of a man to the gospel ministry by any church in this Association is expected to be recognized by the denomination as a whole, the churches are counseled to be extremely careful in the matter of setting men apart for this sacred calling, ordaining only those who, by irreproachable character, piety of life, doctrinal soundness and suitable talents, give promise of honoring the name of Christ and of rendering acceptable service in the missionary Baptist ministry.

Section 2. To aid the churches in this vital matter, the Association will appoint each year a committee of five of the pastors to be called the Committee on Ordination. Any church desiring to ordain a brother to the ministry may request the said Committee to act as a presbytery for the purpose of examining the brother as to his

fitness for the Baptist ministry, and, if he is found qualified, to assist in the ordination.

Section 3. The churches are urged also to exercise the utmost care and wisdom, earnestly seeking the guidance of the Holy Spirit, in calling of their pastors, choosing only men who give evidence by their Christian character, cooperative spirit and leadership ability, that they will serve the best interests of the churches, the denomination, and the cause of Christ.

#### ARTICLE IX — NEW CHURCHES

Baptist churches may be organized and established in localities within the territory of this Association when such new churches are seen to be needed. Those interested in organizing a new church may seek the Counsel of the Executive Committee and the Missions Committee of the Association.

#### ARTICLE X — RULES AND ORDER OF DECORUM

This Association shall be governed in its meetings by such rules and by-laws as may be adopted, amended, or set aside by a majority vote of the messengers present. *Robert's Rules of Order* will be the guide in all parliamentary matters.

#### ARTICLE XI — ADOPTION

The Constitution and By-Laws shall take effect immediately upon its adoption by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present and shall supersede any and all constitutions, by-laws, and amendments previously adopted.

#### ARTICLE XII — AMENDMENTS

This Constitution and By-Laws may be amended at any regular annual meeting by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present, provided the proposed amendment shall have been presented in written form on the first day of the Annual Meeting. The vote on any proposed amendment so presented may be deferred until the second day if requested by a majority vote of the messengers present.

## PROCEEDINGS

### Tuesday Evening Session

The 41st. Annual Session of the Randolph Association was convened on Tuesday evening, October 21, 1975 at 7:00 P.M. in Coleridge at the Deep River Baptist Church.

1 Rev. Tom Patterson, Moderator, called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

2 Hymn No. 115 — "Standing on the Promises" led by Malcolm Strider, with Mrs. Carole Lowman at the organ and Mrs. Margaret Dula at the piano.

3 Scripture, prayer, and words of welcome from Rev. Tom Brown, pastor of the host church.

4 The roll was called at this time. Motion that those registered and the ones that will register later constitute the 41st. Annual Session.

5 Bro. W. C. Baughman, Jr., presented the Order of Business. This was approved as presented.

6 The Field Worker, R. T. Smith presented the new pastors to the Association. They are the following;

### **New Pastors**

First Baptist Church — Vernon B. McDaniel  
 Deep River — Thomas Brown  
 Huldah — Thomas W. Walker  
 Macedonia — Bill Smithwick  
 Maple Springs — Jimmy Hussey  
 Mt. Lebanon — Ernest Mangum (interim)  
 Mt. Pleasant — E. Wayne Hill  
 Seagrove, First — R. L. Hughes (interim)  
 West Asheboro — Charlie Miller  
 Whites Memorial — (do not know at this time)  
 Union Grove — Bud Gillett

7 The Executive Committee report was presented by the Clerk, Fred Lane.

### **Executive Committee Report**

This past year your committee attendance has been much better than it has ever been, the highest in the history of the Association.

Your association lost two churches this past year. Fayetteville Street Baptist Church and High Rock Baptist Church withdrew during the year.

The Moderator appointed a committee to look into the possibility of securing an office for the association separate and apart from the field worker's home.

This committee has been working and has located one building in the Balfour area that can be used, with some remodeling, and checked on some rental property. A recommendation will be presented for your approval.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Fred Lane

8 The Chairman of the Planning & Building Committee, Bro. Carl King, gave the following report.

### **Planning & Building Committee Report**

In view of the Executive Committee Report just presented the Planning & Building Committee hereby request from our Association in its 41st. Session that we be empowered with the authority to seek out one of the following.

1. Rent associational office facilities (with the possibility of these facilities being located in a church with sufficient room for such).
2. Buy a structure and then remodeling the building to meet our associational office needs.
3. Build new associational office facilities.

All the above would be separate and apart from the field worker's home.

Once the committee, under the Lord's guidance, arrives at a situation which would best suit our association a special meeting of the association will be called for you to consider our recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Carl King, Chairman  
 Cecil Baughman  
 Boyd Poe  
 Marvin Caviness  
 Wilber Eaton  
 Justus McKeel  
 R. T. Smith, Missionary  
 Tom Patterson, Moderator

9 Rev. Justus McKeel presented the Committee on Committees report. This will be found in the directory portion of the minutes.

10 The Treasurer's Report was presented by James R. Lane, Treasurer.

### Treasurer's Report

Balance October 1, 1974 .....	\$ 2,557.82
Receipts to September 30, 1975 .....	<u>17,919.46</u>
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>\$20,477.28</b>

#### DISBURSEMENTS:

Utilities & Telephone .....	\$1,672.31
Annuity .....	319.96
W.M.U. ....	469.41
Secretary .....	1,352.78
Printing & Supplies .....	1,232.53
Minutes .....	776.88
Repairs & Maintenance .....	298.62
Social Security Tax .....	77.61
Insurance .....	549.00
Prof. Literature .....	19.41
Clerk .....	300.00
Treasurer .....	300.00
Denominational Meetngs .....	74.50
Sandy Creek .....	100.00
Youth Night .....	248.30
Evangelism .....	109.00
Vacation Bible School .....	61.50
Church Training .....	6.01
Sunday School .....	29.75
Field Worker (Salary & Car Expense) ..	9,645.03
Transferred to Savings Account .....	<u>1,000.00</u>
 Total .....	 <u>\$18,642.60</u>
 Balance 9-30-75 .....	 \$ 1,834.68
 Savings Fund Balance .....	 \$ 3,792.72



11 Mr. Alton Wall presented the Budget and Finance Committee report.

## Randolph Baptist Association Budget For 1976

	1976 Budget
Church Training, "M" Night, and Youth Night	\$ 400.00
Sunday School	325.00
Pastorium Maintenance (\$100.00 — Yard Upkeep)	900.00
Bulletins, Supplies, Postage, Printing	1,300.00
Telephone	700.00
Minutes	800.00
Insurance	125.00
Fuel, Lights, and Water	1,200.00
Assistance to Churches	- 0 -
Shubal Stearns Memorial	100.00
Evangelism	250.00
Brotherhood and R. A.'s	200.00
Denominational Meetings (A. For Missionary)	300.00
(B. For Dept. Heads)	100.00
Secretary	1,560.00
Music Department	100.00
Office Equipment	100.00
Visual Aids	50.00
W.M.U.	500.00
Speakers for Annual Session	200.00
Miscellaneous	200.00
Clerk	300.00
Treasurer	300.00
Salary	7,500.00
Insurance	400.00
Travel Expense	3,000.00
Retirement	320.00
Professional Literature	100.00
Total Budget for 1976	\$21,330.00

12 Hymn No. 355 — "Praise Him, Praise Him" led by Macolm Strider, with Mrs. Carole Lowman at the organ and Mrs. Margaret Dula at the piano.

13 Special music by the Central Falls Youth Choir, directed by Malcolm Strider.

14 Annual Sermon by the Rev. John Wheelles, pastor at Hughes Grove.

15 The Christian Literature Report was presented by Carl Ziegler.

16 Speaking to this report was the Mr. Woodrow Hill, associated with the Biblical Recorder of Raleigh.

## Literature Report

Baptist state papers claimed more attention than usual at the 1975 meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention in Miami Beach this year. In the celebration of the 50th Anniversary of the Cooperative Program, it was revealed that they had played a tremendous part in the growth of our denomination. Louis D. Newton, denominational statesman and former editor of Georgia's *Christian Index*, introduced the 33 editors of state papers and made a comparison of circulation of each in 1975 with that of 1925 when the Cooperative Program was

born. Many were not in existence at that time, however, but this in itself reveals something of Southern Baptist growth.

In giving a special committee report on state papers, H. Franklin Paschall, pastor of First Church, Nashville, Tenn., reported that present circulation is 1 3/4 million and recommended that the convention reaffirm its goal of getting a state paper into two million Baptist homes by 1980. The committee recommended a vigorous campaign in all states to help accomplish this, and also recommended that state papers be incorporated in all local church budgets.

The BIBLICAL RECORDER, is one of those 33 state papers, and one of the oldest, and we hope, one of the best. In spite of continued problems for religious publications because of inflation, and skyrocketing postage costs, and the circulation of the RECORDER remains above 112,000. Congregations including it in their budgets for all of their families are the ones which have an informed membership. It is our hope that North Carolina Churches will take seriously the recommendation reaffirmed at the Southern Baptist Convention that state papers be incorporated in local church budgets for all their member families. Already more than 1,000 churches in North Carolina are doing this, and more congregations do so each year. Pastors and deacons should initiate such action, and it should be supported by all the organizations in the church.

The BIBLICAL RECORDER has covered many sensitive issues this past year. Words of appreciation have come from Baptist people all across the state, for they are aware that "an informed people is the bulwark of Baptist democracy."

The RECORDER continues to operate on a limited budget, and with an altogether too small staff. Local churches can help us by understanding these limitations, and by renewing their subscription plans promptly.

Ray K. Hodge, pastor of First Church, Kinston, says: "One of the easiest tasks I have had as a pastor is to lead churches to include and keep the denominational paper in the church budget. It is such a bargain that trying to save a few dollars (by not subscribing to it for our families) is too costly. It would be like saving the expense of regular visits to the dentist, only to pay more in various ways later."

His advice is well taken.

Respectfully submitted,  
Carl Zeigler

17 Mrs. Calvin Brower, W. M. U. President, presented the W. M. U. report.

## W.M.U. Report

"Love Thy Neighbor" was the WMU Emphasis for 1974-75. The WMU Council through prayerfully planned activities, has sought to accomplish the purpose of Associational WMU which is to assist churches.

Opportunities presented this year included:

### *Training:*

State Associational Officers training, Sept. 6-7, Camp Mundo Vista — 7 attended.

Associational WMU Training, Oct. 7, Balfour — 80 attended.

Problem solving — Materials — Coffee for Acteen Leaders, Oct, 19, Oakhurst Hut — 19 attended.

GA Day Camp, Aug. 16, Camp Mundo Vista — 128 girls representing 11 churches registered. Miss Jennifer Johnson, Russell's Grove, elected "Miss Ideal GA".

Study Course Training, "*Persons Not Things*" — attended by 67 Acteens. "Love Out" — Acteen dinner meeting, Feb. 24. Miss Martha Franks, Missionary, spoke to 135 girls.

N. C. WMU, Acteen "Blast" — participation of 8 girls from Randolph on the program.

GA Director, Mrs. Doyle Owen, served 3 times on GA State faculty for Mother-Daughter Camp.

State Acteen Convention — 35 girls from 5 churches attended. N. C. WMU Convention, Charlotte was attended by 3 Associational officers. National Acteen Convention was attended by Acteen Director, Mrs. Vuncannon, who served as a State Chaperone.

#### *Assistance to Churches:*

WMU Director: Installed officers (3) Taught Study Courses (4) Speaker for Banquet (1) Mission Breakfast (1) Church Service (1) Shared Information about WMU (6)

Baptist Women Director: Shared Mission Action Ideas (1) Speaker (1)

Acteen Director: Organized Acteens (2) Speaker (3) Attended Coronation (1) Guest Mother-Daughter Tea (1) Attended College Day — Meredith College

Mission Friends Director: Met with Mission Friends leaders, shared ideas (1)

#### *Study:*

Foreign and Home Mission Studies were encouraged. Members were reminded to observe the Weeks of Prayer for Home and Foreign Missions and the giving of offerings; Lottie Moon, Annie Armstrong, State and Heck-Jones.

#### *Co-operation:*

Associational Night — WMU Emphasis: Miss Martha Franks, retired Missionary to China, was speaker at Oakhurst, Feb. 24.

Free materials from the Foreign and Home Mission Board, State WMU, Stewardship Dept. were provided for each church. An updated filmstrip list plus a list of Associational officers was sent to each Director. Two new filmstrips "How Churches Grow in Latin America", with cassette and "Crossing Barriers in Interracial Ministry" with cassette, were purchased for Associational use.

"*The Randolph Baptist*", WGWR, WZOO, "*The Courier-Tribune*" letters, telephone calls and visits were methods used to inform churches.

Your WMU Director also served as a member of the Randolph Baptist Executive Council and Committee, presenting regular reports of the progress and planned activities of the WMU.

Over 225 persons attended the joint WMU-Brotherhood Annual Meeting at Camp Mundo Vista, April 28. A covered dish meal began the activity. Rev. and Mrs. Steve Davenport, missionaries to Argentina, South America sharing the message. Special music was presented by the Acteen Choir (The New Way Singers).

The Associational Acteen Mission Choir ministered in 13 churches in 1974 with the musical "Joy".

The 1975 summer ministry has been the presentation of the musical, "Alleluia". The opportunities thus far for service has been in

6 churches and at Camp Mundo Vista for State Camp, including missionaries and counselors. Choir director is Mrs. Kay Cagle, assisted by Mrs. Farrell Wilson and Mrs. Stan Haywood and Mrs. Tony Vuncannon, Acteen Director.

New organizations include Baptist Women at Calvary and Richland, Acteens at Caraway and Greystone, Mission Friends at Clearview.

Recognized at the N. C. WMU Convention for achievements were:

Mt. Pleasant — Distinguished WMU (6th year)

Worthville — Merit

Randolph — Advanced Association

Officers elected for 1975-76:

WMU Director — Mrs. Calvin Brower

Asst. WMU Director — Mrs. Gary Kimrey

Baptist Women — Mrs. Reid Seabolt

Baptist Young Women — Mrs. Jimmy Hudson

Acteen Director — Mrs. Tony Vuncannon

Asst. Acteen Director — Mrs. Ben Davis

GA Director — Mrs. Doyle Owen

Asst. GA Director — Mrs. Lauren McDowell

Mission Friends Director — Mrs. Lewis Pritchard

Asst. Mission Friends Director — Mrs. Dwight Ayers

Secretary — Mrs. Ed Ford

Pianist — Mrs. Joe Church

It has been a most exciting year filled with joy and thanksgiving as the Lord has opened doors of service for the WMU Council. We praise the Lord for using us to accomplish his purpose.

On behalf of the WMU Council, I would like to thank the Pastors and Rev. Talmage Smith for such marvelous support and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. Calvin Brower

18 The State Missions Report was presented at this time by Otus Thomas.

## State Missions Report

State Missions is the missionary effort on the part of North Carolina Baptists to reach the unsaved for Christ and to teach, enlist, and train the saved in giving, living, and serving through the churches unto all the world.

Southern Baptists' compassion for world missions must also include the real needs of our own counties and state. State and associational missions are indeed part of the world mission imperative. Without neglecting distant lands, we must continue to build a strong state missions program throughout North Carolina.

State missions can be divided into two major categories:  
(1) *strengthening* ministries and (2) *lengthening* ministries.

Strengthening ministries help develop local church organizations such as Sunday School, WMU, Church Training, Brotherhood, etc. These programs enable local churches to realize their own mission potential. Workshops, seminars, and conferences are conducted throughout the year for the development of local church programs.

The second type of state missions are those ministries that lengthen the local church's witness. These are cooperative efforts requiring the resources of more than one church or association. Examples of these



programs are resort missions, deaf ministries, chaplaincy ministries, city and metropolitan missions, church loans and lot aid, seminary extension, migrant missions, etc. Many of these ministries are co-sponsored by district associations and the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board.

All state mission ministries are in some way cooperative efforts of local churches and associations. Church and associational development, in fact, is one of the primary goals of state missions in North Carolina. The purpose is to build strong "mission stations" across the state as a foundation for the overall support of world missions, christian education, and benevolences.

State missions in North Carolina is supported by the Cooperative Program and the annual State Missions Offering in September.

Continue to pray and to give that these ministries may move forward.

Respectfully submitted,  
Otus Thomas

19 Mr. Mark Sink presented the report on Home Missions.

## Home Missions Report

This convention year was another fruitful year in evangelism. For the fourth straight year the total number of baptisms exceed 400,000. The Board's evangelism staff works closely with state convention evangelism in seeking to provide a spiritual climate and spiritual motivation for faithful sharing of our Christian faith, magnifying both personal and mass evangelism. We are encouraged by the growing involvement of lay persons, including youth in serious witnessing.

The Board has adopted a set of broad goals titled "Direction '79". 1976 will be a time of preparation for the denomination's "Bold Mission" emphasis of 1977-79. The Board has approved these objectives for the "Bold Mission" thrust:

- . Let every person in our land have an opportunity to hear and accept the gospel of Jesus Christ.
- . Let every person in our land have an opportunity to share in the witness and ministry of a New Testament fellowship of believers.

A series of Bicentennial projects, supported by a budget of \$76,000 will focus on encouraging people throughout the nation to reevaluate their spiritual heritage and to help strengthen the spiritual and moral foundations of our nation.

At year's end the total number of missionaries under Home Mission Board appointment was 2,171, six less than twelve months earlier.

The board received \$6,939,380 through the Cooperative Program during 1974, including the generous amount of \$556,040 from Advance Funds after all budget commitments were met, and the final \$25,000 on a \$1 million Capital Funds allocation for the Board's Church Extension Loan Fund. The 1974 Annie Armstrong Easter Offering was incredible, climbing to \$8,130,142 a gain of 18.1 percent over the record offering of the previous year.

Thanks be to our Loving God for dedicated Christians that spend time and money to see lost souls come to Christ Jesus.

Respectfully submitted,  
Marcus B. Sink



20 The Foreign Missions Report was presented by William Bridges of Balfour Baptist church.

### Foreign Missions Report

No statistical report can tell the full story. What really happens must be understood in terms of patience, courage, stability, and dedicated service on the part of missionaries and national Christians as they reach out in the Master's name.

For the first time, the total number of Southern Baptist foreign missionaries has gone above 2,600. The 250 reinforcements for the missionary staff were the second highest ever in a calendar year. Net missionary personnel gain for the year was 68, the largest net gain in five years, resulting in a total staff at the end of the year of 2,606.

Financial support for foreign missions by Southern Baptist resulted in a record \$41,359,127.00 given through the Cooperative Program and Lottie Moon Christmas offering in 1974 (January through December). This is an 11.4% increase over 1973 and demonstrates a determined response to the challenge of inflation.

Evangelism remains the heart of mission activities which result in significant gains for the Kingdoms work. Many preachers and laymen from the U.S. traveled to mission points to share in evangelistic opportunities. Typical was the series of Crusades in Nigeria which involved preachers and laymen in addition to hundreds of Nigerian Christians. More than 20,000 decisions, including 13,000 first time professions of faith, came from this crusade.

Indigenization, a term used to describe the process whereby national Christians assume greater responsibilities from missionaries for the work of the church is continuing. Missionaries literally work themselves out of jobs in areas by assisting in training and preparing national Baptists for leadership roles. When indigenization occurs, missionaries move on to work in other areas where the Gospel message is needed.

In summary, the prospects for Christian witness by Southern Baptist missionaries today are bright, in spite of increasing pressures and international crises. New approaches, innovative ideas, and organizational adjustments may be needed and, if so, will be implemented. But never must change occur for the sake of change. Full evaluation of long range and worldwide effects must precede change.

Only by working cooperatively under God's leadership can we realize our ultimate goal of bringing people in all nations to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ.

Respectfully submitted,  
Bill Bridges

21 Hymn No. 120 — "Blessed Assurance" led by Malcolm Strider, with Mrs. Carole Lowman at the organ and Mrs. Margaret Dula at the piano.

22 Special music by the Central Falls Youth Choir.

23 Speaking to the Missions Reports was Steven Davenport, Missionary to Argentina.

Closing prayer by William Bridges, Jr.

## Wednesday, October 22, 1975

### Morning Session

24 The call to order was issued at 9 A.M. by Rev. Patterson, Moderator.

25 Hymn No. 391 — "He Keeps Me Singing" led by Rev. Bud Gillett, with Mrs. Ruth McNeill at the organ and Mrs. Louella Spivy at the piano.

26 Opening prayer and words of welcome by Rev. Bud Gillett, pastor of Host Church.

#### 27 ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR 1975-1976 YEAR:

MODERATOR .....	G. T. Patterson
V. MODERATOR .....	W. A. Gillett, Jr.
CLERK .....	Fred Lane
TREASURER .....	James R. Lane

28 Nominating Committee report was presented by Mrs. Calvin Brower and will be found in the Directory portion of the Minutes.

29 Rev. Andy Grose presented the Sunday School Report at this time.

### Sunday School Report

This past year in Sunday School we have put the emphasis on adults. We have had leadership conferences for Vacation Bible School Workers, for Pastors and Sunday School Directors, and for our Teachers preparing to teach more effectively.

This next year will be an exciting year. *High Attendance Sunday*, set for November 2, will hopefully find  $\frac{1}{2}$  million North Carolina Baptists in Sunday School on that date. Also included in this project will be an intensive period of visitation, a "Singleout" hunt for single adults to be enlisted, and a baby hunt designed to reach small pre-schoolers for the church.

*Read the Bible in 1976* is a challenge for all adults in 1976. The Bible readings will appear in 24 SBC periodicals, including *Open Windows*, *Home Life*, and most Sunday School teacher and member magazines.

*Bicentennial Class* — In an attempt to increase Adult Bible Study, the Sunday School Department is sponsoring "America '76", a plan to organize at least one new adult class in each church during 1976. The project begins immediately. A beautiful red, white, and blue certificate, suitable for framing and display, will be awarded to each new 1976 adult class.

Pastors and other individuals planning to teach Hosea in January could find invaluable help at a Preparation Seminar, November 21, 3:00 to 9:00 p.m. The seminars may be attended at Southeastern Seminary, Campbell College, Wake Forest University or Gardner Webb College.

*Bible Memory Plan* for 5th and 6th Graders is a simplified plan to encourage children to memorize Bible verses, passages, and the books of the Bible, and is available from the church literature department of the Baptist Sunday School Board.

Called "Bible Searchers Memory Plan", — the program is designed for children to participate and achieve "at a level comfortable to the individual". The first level of achievement is memorizing one to 25 weekly memory verses.

Let's see our Sunday Schools grow this year, and our members "increase in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man."

Respectfully submitted,  
Andrew P. Grose

30 The Church Training Report was presented by Mr. Jim Hare of Oakhurst.

### **Church Training Report**

Church Training — the Sunday night place — is an important part of our church program. Two areas of new interest in church training has been implemented in some of our church programs this year. They are New Member Orientation and Leadership Training classes and are surely an asset to any church training program.

The annual "M" Night was held on November 25, 1974 at First Baptist Church in Ramseur. Rev. Cecil Baughman, Pastor at Oakhurst Baptist Church, delivered a challenging message.

The Associational Children's Bible Drill was held on May 25, 1975 at Oakhurst Baptist Church. We had two churches representing our Association with a total of 15 boys and girls participating. Oakhurst Baptist Church entered 11 and First Baptist Church of Asheboro entered 4. All 15 participants were local winners and qualified to enter the Children's Bible Drill on the State level.

Camp Caraway was the location of the Associational Youth Night on August 25, 1975. An estimated 200 young people and their counselors enjoyed a hamburger and hot dog outing and heard Rev. Dwight Morris present a special message to young people.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jim M. Hare

31 B. C. Owenby gave the report on the Cooperative Program.

### **Cooperative Program Report**

Please advance the goal of EVERY BAPTIST COMMITTED TO PREACHING THE GOSPEL TO EVERY CREATURE! Will you lead the church where you serve nearer to this goal during the October Cooperative Program Prayer Month?

Every church is requested to prayerfully consider making an increased commitment to missions support through the Cooperative Program on that day for the year 1976, by using one of these methods:

1. If you are giving less than 10% of your total undesignated offerings, begin giving this ten cents out of each dollar.
2. Churches that are currently giving from ten to twenty cents of each undesignated collection plate dollar will desire to prayerfully consider increasing their giving by two more cents of each budget dollar. Churches giving more than 20 cents of each dollar, should prayerfully consider increasing this by one more cent out of the collection plate dollar each year

until that church reaches its goal for Cooperative Program giving.

3. If the church where you serve is giving on a dollar basis, you will desire to prayerfully consider giving 15% more through the Cooperative Program than your current contributions.
4. If your church does not have a budget, you could receive a special offering for the Cooperative Program on the first Sunday of every month.

Are you committed enough to preaching the Gospel of Christ to every creature on earth that you will:

- (1) have a special prayer for one or more Cooperative Program ministries during each service in the month of October;
- (2) share some information about one or more Cooperative Program ministries in each service during the month; and
- (3) climax the observance of Cooperative Program Prayer Month with ONE GREAT DAY on Sunday, October 26 by increasing your giving through the Cooperative Program?

Respectfully submitted,  
B. C. Owenby

32 The Brotherhood Report was presented by Bill Applewhite.

33 Speaking to the Brotherhood Report was Mr. Ed Bullock, Brotherhood Director from the State Convention.

## Brotherhood Report

On every hand we are seeing a decline in the moral and spiritual fiber of our society and nation. Nearly every Christian that I meet and talk with shows some concern for the future of our children and grandchildren. From these ranks of young people must come tomorrow's church, community, and national leadership. Denomination-wise, our future local, home and foreign missionaries are in our churches today. Our future pastors, teachers, evangelists, ministers of education, youth and music, deacons, and all future servants and witnesses of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, are in our churches now.

Brotherhood, which encompasses the total mission program for men and boys in our churches, can be one of the greatest instruments of God that our Association has ever known, now and in the years to come, if we will be faithful with what God has given us. Our Brotherhood program can be most effective in molding, shaping, and even re-shaping lives into effective servants of God.

The Baptist Men's program is specifically designed for men eighteen years old right through senior adults. The Royal Ambassador program is for boys from grades one through grade twelve. These programs can work effectively at every age level to instill in the heart of every man and boy a greater degree of concern, love, and compassion for lost souls in Randolph County and around the world. Less than one third of our Association churches are reporting any Brotherhood work at all. This means that so far as our men and boys are concerned, that over 66% of our churches have no organized programs for studying, teaching, and becoming actively involved in Mission outreach in the Randolph Baptist Association.



I truly beleve that God will bless a sincere dedicated, prayerful effort. I likewise believe that unless we give our very best, it is not worthy of God's blessing. The question facing every pastor and church member in the 1975-76 church year is this: What steps are we willing to take to win for Christ the thousands of lost souls in Randolph County alone? A Baptist Men's program and a Royal Ambassador program in every church could be the best beginning. Please let your Association help.

Respectfully submitted,  
W. J. (Bill) Applewhite

34 Mr. Wayne Hill presented, at this time, the report on Christian Education.

35 Speaking to the report on Christian Education was Dr. Eugene Poston, President of the Gardner-Webb College.

### **Christian Education Report**

Baptist Colleges in North Carolina see themselves as active participants in the Christian mission to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ with all people everywhere. In addition to the important role of preparing future lay leaders for local churches, the colleges continue a strong emphasis upon ministerial and church-related vocational training.

In April of 1975, our seven colleges reported a total of 715 persons who were preparing for careers in church leadership. Most of these persons will complete their preparation by attending a seminary. Southern Baptist seminaries listed an enrollment of 303 graduates of North Carolina Baptist colleges in the spring of 1975. The Foreign Mission Board has under appointment 152 of our graduates at present, more than 6% of the total number of current missionary personnel. In addition, a significant number of Baptist college trained persons serve in strategic posts with the Home Mission Board, Baptist state conventions and associational missions throughout the Southern Baptist Convention. Baptist college students receive excellent experience and training for church and missionary service through Baptist Youth Corps. Approximately 100 Baptist college students were assigned to churches for the summer of 1975. The colleges furnish one-half of the Youth Corps worker's salary, and thus enjoy a vital partnership with churches and students in summer mission work.

It is accurate to say that the ministry of North Carolina Baptist colleges, as we know it today, is the direct result of Cooperative Program support.

With the exception of what students pay, the Cooperative Program continues to be the largest single source of annual income for our colleges. In these days of financial uncertainty, the colleges are grateful for the level of support which North Carolina Baptists have maintained. During 1975, the anticipated Cooperative Program budget for the colleges will provide: Campbell College, \$416,066; Chowan College, \$263,333; Gardner-Webb College, \$329,166; Mars Hill College, \$360,776; Meredith College, \$360,776; Wake Forest University, \$639,900; and Wingate College, \$263,333.

Another way the churches help to relieve the colleges' financial burden is through the annual offering on Father's Day. Designated for student aid, this offering gives much-needed assistance to many students from Baptist churches, making an education on a Christian college campus possible.



Pastors and other church leaders can assist their young people and our colleges by encouraging attendance at a Baptist college. Information is available in brochure form, free of charge, from the Council on Christian Higher Education of the Baptist State Convention in Raleigh. Each of the colleges pledges to North Carolina Baptist young people that no qualified student will be turned away for purely financial reasons. Through grants, loans and work scholarships, an education is available for anyone who seriously seeks it.

North Carolina Baptist colleges are committed to Christian values, and to an active partnership with their fellow-Baptists in evangelism, missions, education and social concern.

Your Baptist colleges sincerely solicit the supportive prayers of North Carolina Baptist churches, that we will be aware of and receptive to Divine guidance in performing the work which we have been given to do.

Respectfully submitted,  
Wayne Hill

36 The report on Temperance & Morals was presented by Neal Cockerham.

## Temperance and Morals

NOTE: Below is a statement from the *Biblical Recorder* that says what I wanted to say in this report.

Speaking to a workshop for school counselors on the subject of youthful alcoholism, Donald E. Shaw of Denver, Colo., documented serious drinking problems among fifth and sixth graders. Interviewing groups of 100 fifth graders, he said an average of 84 indicated they had tried alcohol at least once and as many as 50 said they had tried it 10 times or more. Shaw said that he saw the first fifth grader come to school drunk two years ago and that it set off a pattern involving fifth grade students. In a survey of sixth graders, he said six to nine per cent had experienced sex and almost all of those surveyed had been allowed unsupervised dating by the time they were 11 years old. Unless steps are taken first in the home and then in our educational system, it is impossible to predict the number of teenage alcoholics in the future. Already the number of youngsters age 16 and under who are alcoholics number almost a half million.

Respectfully submitted,  
Neal Cockerham

37 Mr. Carl King gave the report on Annuity at this time.

## Annuity Board Report

The Southern Baptist Convention Annuity Board serves as a life-line of support for 10,034 retired pastors and other church-related workers or their widows.

During 1974, the Board paid about \$15½ million in retirement and other protection benefits to these annuitants. In the Board's 57-year history, it has paid a total of over \$125 million in retirement and protection benefits.

The Annuity Board also holds in trusts and invests retirement contributions from 38,000 pastors, other church staff and denominational employees — which will be converted into annuity benefits when they retire.

In December, 1974, the Board issued a 13th Check to annuitants. It amounted to more than \$675,000 and was equal to one month's benefits. It is called a 13th Check because it is issued above and beyond the 12 regular monthly benefit checks distributed to annuitants.

Additional information about the Annuity Board may be obtained through the Development Office, Annuity Board, SBC, 511 North Akard Building, Dallas, Texas, 75201.

### Statistical Highlights, 1974

<u>Retirement Plans:</u>	<u>Total Members</u>	<u>Insurance</u>	<u>Total Members</u>
Plan A (churches-agencies)	26,390	Health Insurance	14,449
Plan B (churches-agencies)	18,301	Group Life (churches)	8,035
Plan C (churches-agencies)	5,730	Group Life (agencies)	12,704
Total Benefits Pd. (ret.)	\$15,452,446	*Life Benefit Plan	3,664
Relief Benefits	\$216,513		
Relief Recipients	409	*Closes to new members	

In North Carolina 2134 churches and associations and 2616 staff members are currently participating in the Southern Baptist Protection Program.

I urge every full time church in the Randolph Association to consider enrolling your pastor in one of the plans offered by our Annuity Board.

Respectfully submitted,  
Carl L. King

38 The Children's Home Report was presented by Rev. T. W. Nelson.

39 Speaking to the Children's Home report was Mr. Phillip Morrow from the Mills Home in Thomasville.

### Children's Homes Report

Christian child care provided by the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina is a cooperative mission. It was through the life, teaching and ministry of Christ and under the leadership of the Holy Spirit that North Carolina Baptists launched their child care ministry 90 years ago. Today it is recognized as one of the outstanding ministries of its kind in the nation.

The lives of more than 3,700 people were effected in a significant way through the services of the Homes during the past year. Daily care and related services were provided 1,524 children. Of this number, 1,061 were in continuing programs while 463 received casework, counseling, and referral services. While we were caring for the children, a close working relationship was maintained with 2,178 adults in an effort to reestablish homes and strengthen family relationships.

New and exciting developments are in progress throughout the state. During the past year emergency shelters were opened in Charlotte and Forest City to meet the needs of children requiring immediate assistance. Both Broyhill Home and Mills Home will have a new cottage for children constructed during the next year. Progress

is being made to expand facilities at Odum Home. Increasing numbers of families are opening hearts and homes for the care of foster children. All of these indicate a living, vital and growing ministry to people.

The award winning film, "The Mountain Within," meets with praise and appreciation wherever it is shown. It will continue to be available by request, either to the Communications Department of the Baptist State Convention or to the Children's Homes.

A cooperative mission requires that the parties involved have a clear, common purpose to which they are firmly committed, undergirded by mutual trust, and clear communications. These three factors characterized the relationships between the Baptists of North Carolina and their Children's Homes. Through the Cooperative Program and the Thanksgiving Offering, Baptists throughout the state can share a commitment to Christian child care. In response, the staff of the Children's Homes is committed to translate this support into a dynamic ministry of love and concern for children and families in need. With God's continued blessing we will move together to fulfill our mission.

Let us join our hearts in prayer for our workers who serve our Homes for our children and give a generous Thanksgiving offering that this great work of God may go onward.

Respectfully submitted,  
T. W. Nelson

40 Rev. H. C. Neathery presented the Baptist Hospital Report.

### **Baptist Hospital Report**

The past year has been one of continued growth and progress for our Baptist Hospital. There have been many significant developments, in several different areas.

The new ambulatory care unit is now being opened, making possible enlarged and improved services for the Emergency Room, Out-patient Clinics, Physical Therapy and other departments. Renovation of the west wing will be complete and renovation of the south wing began in early August. The third floor of the Progressive Care Unit has been remodeled to provide 26 beds, therapy room and other improved facilities for psychiatric services.

The long-awaited EMI-scanner is now in use and is already proving beneficial in detecting blood clots, tumors, strokes and other abnormalities of the brain.

A family Practice Center opened July 1, 1975 to offer more primary medical care for patients and also to provide specialized training for physicians who choose to enter family practice.

During the year the hospital had its biennial review by the Joint Commission on Hospital Accreditation. All areas of operation received an excellent report, but physician service, nursing service and administration all received especially high commendation.

Despite the continued rise in costs for services and materials the hospital has been able to operate in the black. The administration and department heads confer frequently and make diligent effort to see that the hospital operates as efficiently and economically as possible.

Gifts from the Baptist churches have been very gratifying. During the calendar year of 1974 the hospital received \$258,898

through the Cooperative Program and \$392,000 through the Mother's Day Offering. Hospital staff members have participated in Cooperative Program promotion in cooperation with the State Convention Division of Stewardship and Cooperative Program Promotion.

Another group that deserves high commendation are the volunteer workers that provide many hours of free service to the patients. The total hours of volunteer service increased again this year for the third consecutive annual period. There are now nearly 400 people who serve as volunteers in the Baptist Hospital. They worked more than 40,000 hours for the period of July 1, 1974 through June 30, 1975. These hours represent the equivalent of 20 fulltime employees.

The largest segment of volunteer work is in the area of patient assistance. This includes visitation, obtaining of diet information, delivery of flowers and mail, writing letters, and running personal errands.

The Department of Pastoral Care has opened a counseling center in Raleigh, its second satellite center. Plans are developing for a third satellite in the western part of the state. The Department has established a scholarship fund as a memorial to Dr. Richard K. Young, the department's first director, who died December 31. Full re-accreditation was given the School of Pastoral Care in December by the Association of Clinical Pastoral Education.

During the past year Mr. Reid T. Holmes retired as President of the hospital, after serving the hospital administration for 29 years.

Respectfully submitted,  
Hansel C. Neathery

41 The report on the Homes for the Aging was presented by Reginald Dawkins.

### **Baptist Homes For The Aging**

There has never been a year in the history of our Baptist Homes when more people have sought the services of the Homes. This has been true particularly of the aging sick person. Almost daily calls come from older persons, and their families, inquiring about admission to one of our five resident Homes and the Skilled Nursing Care Facility of the homes.

Although we can minister in our North Carolina Baptist Homes to only 230 persons at any given time, our homes served hundreds of aging people through the twenty-four years that we have been on the scene at Resthaven, the Hayes Homes, and the Nursing Care Unit, in Winston-Salem, and in our Homes at Albemarle, Hamilton, and Yanceyville.

Gifts for 1974-75 from our Baptist Churches, through the Cooperative Program and through the 3rd Sunday of February Offering for the Homes, reflect a very encouraging increase. This is great, and we are grateful especially since four out of every five persons who live in our Homes depend upon these love gifts for their care! Our love gift is a life-line to these deserving older persons, and they could not be cared for in the majority of cases, if it were not for us.

Signs on the horizon indicate that we will need greater financial support for our Homes for the Aging from our Baptist people than ever before.

The most exciting development in the family of your Baptist Homes for the past year has been the experience of obtaining one of



the most beautiful locations in the Blue Ridge mountains of North Carolina for the proposed Western North Carolina Baptist Home. This site is a twenty-one acre tract of land overlooking the city of Asheville, better known as the Pearson Estate, on Richmond Hill, in Northwest Asheville. God Himself, we feel, has guided us in discovering this beautiful site.

Plans are in the making now to raise \$1,000,000 for the construction of this new proposed Western North Carolina Baptist Home. These plans initially will include 50 rooms for residents, with living room, dining room, library, chapel and activities room, and other necessary rooms. With the completion of this Home, North Carolina Baptists will be enlarging their base of ministry to almost 300 persons, and older people from Western North Carolina will have a facility to serve the hundreds in their area who will need the service of this lovely facility now and in the years to come.

Pray for the ministry of your Baptist Homes for the Aging. Give as liberally as possible that the overwhelming needs of older people in our midst might be met more adequately. Visit the Homes and see first-hand the personal joy that our gifts bring. Know that our ministry to even one of these dear older people is a ministry as unto Christ Himself.

Respectfully submitted,  
Reginald Dawkins

42 Rev. Justus McKeel presented the report on Evangelism.

43 Speaking to the report on Evangelism was Mr. Kenneth Ridings of Fruitland Bible Institute of Hendersonville.

## Evangelism Report

All churches will receive Proclamation '76 Planning Calendar booklets for 1975-76 and other revival materials. Each association is encouraged to plan a Simultaneous Revival among the churches during the spring (March or April) of 1976. If you do not have a Simultaneous Revival, every Baptist church is urged to plan a dynamic revival effort in the spring of 1976.

The continuing response of youth and adults to Lay Evangelism Schools has been significant. In the past 3½ years, 12,774 youth and adults have shared in this lay witness training from 1,007 churches and 55 associations. Also, 107 pastors from nine other associations have participated in Pastor's Retreats dealing with Lay Evangelism Schools. Five other associations have planned Lay Evangelism Schools during the fall of 1975.

"BE RECONCILED TO GOD AND MAN" was the theme of the 29th Statewide Evangelism Conference at War Memorial Auditorium, Greensboro, February 3-5, 1975. Over 2,400 pastors and lay persons heard excellent speakers emphasize various phases of evangelism.

Youth Ministries Week was held at the North Carolina Baptist Assembly during June 9-13 for 520 youth and adults with the emphasis on evangelism, vocational guidance, and recreation.

About 14,000 youth, pastors, and adult leaders will attend the 5th Statewide Youth Evangelism Night — August 15 — at the Greensboro Coliseum. Dr. Bill Self, Atlanta, Georgia, is the guest preacher, and Bill and Linda Cates are the guest musicians. Christian youth continue to share a strong witness for Jesus Christ across our state.



The Division of Evangelism is cooperating with the Brotherhood Department in Lay Renewal Weekends and Renewal Evangelism.

Let us rejoice in the leadership of the Holy Spirit in wonderful revival meetings, city-wide crusades, and evangelism clinics during the past year.

The 30th Statewide Evangelism Conference will be at the Civic Center Auditorium, Asheville, during February 2-4, 1976.

Remember to pray daily for the work of evangelism in all the churches of our state, nation, and world.

On April 17, the Randolph Associational Evangelism Rally was held at First Baptist Church, Asheboro. Dr. John Tresch, pastor of First Baptist Church, Cherryville was the speaker. The inspirational music was given by Paul Robbins, minister of music at the Cherryville Church.

Plans for 1976 include participation in a joint revival effort in the spring and a meeting on the associational level with Dr. Vance Havener as speaker.

Respectfully submitted,  
Justus McKeel

44 R. T. Smith, Field Worker, presented his annual message and his report.

### Report of Field Worker

Days of Field .....	354
Days Away .....	11
Sermons Preached .....	112
Other Talks .....	4
Conducted Prayer Meetings .....	30
Study Courses Taught .....	3
Conferences with Individuals .....	1,536
Conferences with Groups .....	182
Conferences with Committees .....	18
State Meetings Attended .....	3
Churches Visited in Association .....	24
Pieces of Mail Sent Out — More than .....	8,300
Miles Traveled .....	13,258
Professions of Faith .....	2
Additions to Churches .....	4
Baptized .....	27
Weddings Performed .....	2

Respectfully submitted,  
R. T. Smith

45 Telegram to Rev. John C. Mangum in Baptist Hospital:

The 41st. Annual Session of the Randolph Baptist Association send to you our warmest regards, the promise of our prayers, and our hopes for a speedy recovery and a lengthy ministry among us.

We sincerely appreciate every effort you have made this year and all years to make our Association great. May God's will be done in your life.

# Report of Committee on Time, Place, and Preachers

46 The report on Time, Place, and Preachers was presented by Bill Slate.

Tuesday Night, October 19, 1976 — Balfour Baptist Church

Wednesday Morning, October 20, 1976 — Forest Park Baptist Church.

Annual Sermon: William E. Slate

Alternate: Tommy Butler

Doctrinal Sermon: Garland Hall

Alternate: Kenneth Tucker

## Suggested Goals For 1976

	1976 Monthly	1976 Annually
Antioch	\$ 12.50	150.00
Armfield Heights	25.00	300.00
Asbury	30.00	360.00
Asheboro, First	200.00	2,400.00
Balfour	110.00	1,320.00
Beulah	60.00	720.00
Calvary	15.00	180.00
Caraway	15.00	180.00
Cedar Falls	20.00	240.00
Center Cross	15.00	180.00
Central Falls	25.00	300.00
Clear View	25.00	300.00
Deep River	40.00	480.00
Forest Park	25.00	300.00
Franklinville	65.00	780.00
Glenola	60.00	720.00
Gravel Hill	20.00	240.00
Greystone	75.00	900.00
Hughes Grove	25.00	300.00
Huldah	25.00	300.00
Jackson Creek	15.00	180.00
Liberty, First	65.00	780.00
Macedonia	40.00	480.00
Maple Springs	25.00	300.00
Mt. Pleasant	40.00	480.00
Mt. Lebanon	40.00	480.00
Oakhurst	110.00	1,320.00
Oakwood Park	20.00	240.00
Panther Creek	15.00	180.00
Ramseur, First	80.00	960.00
Randleman, First	80.00	960.00
Richland	15.00	180.00
Riverside	25.00	300.00
Russell's Grove	125.00	1,500.00
Sandy Creek	20.00	240.00
Seagrove, First	10.00	120.00
Shady Grove	20.00	240.00
Sophia	30.00	360.00
Union Grove	90.00	1,080.00
West Asheboro	10.00	120.00
Westfield	10.00	120.00
Whites Memorial	15.00	180.00
Worthville	15.00	180.00
Total Suggested Goals for 1976	\$1,802.50	\$21,630.00

47 Mrs. Ruth McNeill and Mrs. Lela Carter presented the Committee of Appreciation report.

### **Appreciation Committee Report**

1. That we express our gratitude to God for His divine leadership in and through the Randolph Association and for the true Christian fellowship which prevails among us; and further, that we seek His continued blessings and guidance in all our laudable undertaking in our never-ending task of His Kingdom's work.

2. We express appreciation to Our Associational Missionary and to all officers of the Association who have worked so diligently to make the past Associational year and the present session a most gratifying contribution to the glory of the Kingdom of God.

3. Our sincere appreciation to our Moderator, the speakers and singers who challenged us to a deeper commitment to the Lordship of Christ, and of the unmeasurable love of our Heavenly Father.

4. Our thanks to the host churches, Deep River and Union Grove for the use of their facilities and for their cordiality, Christian fellowship and the fine food.

5. Finally, in view of the fact that these are critical times in which we live, that the 43 churches of our association be encouraged to restudy and recommit themselves to the basic purpose and function of the New Testament church, with special emphasis during 1975-76 to covenant together to work and pray for a great spiritual revival in our area.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Ruth McNeil

Mrs. Lela Carter

48 Hymn No. 1 — "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" led by W. A. Gillett, Jr., with Mrs. Ruth McNeil at the organ and Mrs. Louella Spivey at the piano.

49 Memorial Services for our deceased was led by Rev. Cecil Baughman.

## Deceased

### Antioch

Mr. Burnice Woodell

### Asbury

Mrs. Joyce Kennedy

### Asheboro, First

Mr. Barney D. Simmons

Mrs. Harvey Cox

Mrs. Mattie Harmon

Mrs. Paul Patterson

Mrs. Richard Culbreth

Mrs. Arthur Smith

Mr. William C. Pate

Mr. James Floyd Wallace

Mrs. J. S. Willis

Mr. Kermit Clarke

Mrs. M. D. Turner

Miss Willa Spoon

### Balfour

Mrs. Blanche Brown

Mrs. Troy Hackett

Mr. Claude Hicks

Mr. Hervey Shoffner

Mr. Charlie F. Williams

### Beulah

Mr. Robert Cheek

Mrs. Nancy Cheek

Mr. J. B. Purvis

Mrs. Hattie Hussey

### Cedar Falls

Mr. J. C. Hill

### Center Cross

Mr. Lonnie Dale King

### Central Falls

Mrs. Roy (Luna) Coble

Mr. Milliard Jordon

### Deep River

Mr. Colon Davis

Mr. Arthur Stout

### Franklinville

Mrs. M. A. Pegram (Pastor's Wife)

Mr. William R. Curtis

Mrs. B. E. Sanders

Miss Robin Hardin

Mr. R. J. Davis

Miss Clara Hancock

Mrs. Percy Davis

### Glenola

Mr. Raymond Gray

Mr. Allen Jones

Mr. Eli McDowell

Mrs. Posie Webster

Mrs. W. D. Wood

### Hughes Grove

Mr. Dale Wilmouth

### HulDAH

Mrs. Sallie Bullins

Mr. Wesley Bullins

### Liberty, First

Mr. Durwood Martin

Mrs. Bertha Chilton

**Macedonia**

Mrs. Vallie Kimrey  
 Mr. Ray York  
 Mrs. Belle Arrington  
 Mrs. Myrtle Clapp  
 Mr. Dewit Coble  
 Mr. George A. Jenkins, Sr.  
 Mr. James G. (Slim) Martin

**Mt. Lebanon**

Mrs. Mary Hurley  
 Mrs. Dorcas Ledwell

**Mt. Pleasant**

Mr. V. N. Cheek (Deacon)  
 Mr. D. D. Williams

**Oakhurst**

Mr. G. M. Blanton  
 Mr. M. C. Coble, III  
 Mrs. H. C. Ammonds

**Panther Creek**

Mr. A. B. Cooper

**Ramseur, First**

Mrs. Ida Trodgon  
 Mrs. Bessie Brantley  
 Mrs. Louie B. Bray  
 Mrs. Faye York  
 Mrs. Mattie Campbell  
 Mrs. John R. Steele

**Randleman, First**

Miss Mary Curtis  
 Miss Hazel Lee  
 Mrs. Lewis Routh  
 Mr. B. P. Burr  
 Mrs. Carl Fultz  
 Mrs. Pauline Linthicum

**Richland**

Rev. B. W. (Ben) McPherson  
 (Pastor)  
 Mrs. Connie Hammer

**Riverside**

Mrs. Dottie H. Kiser  
 Mr. James Alton Maness

**Russell's Grove**

Mrs. J. B. Cox  
 Mr. Leon McNeill

**Union Grove**

Mr. Edward Morgan  
 Mrs. Cora McNeill  
 Mrs. Lula Reeder Ward

**Maple Springs**

Mrs. Nora Ashworth  
 Mr. Paul Cole (Deacon)

50 Special Music by a Trio from Union Grove Baptist Church.

51 Hymn No. 154 — "My Jesus, I Love Thee" led by W. A. Gillett, with Mrs. McNeill at the organ and Mrs. Spivey at the piano.

52 Scripture and prayer by William E. Slate, Doctrinal Sermon, "Jesus the One Mediator" by Cecil Baughman, Jr.



## Receipts

Antioch	\$ 120.00
Armfield Heights	226.98
Asbury	120.00
Asheboro, First	2,400.00
Balfour	1,080.00
Beulah	530.00
Calvary	100.00
Caraway	100.00
Cedar Falls	144.00
Center Cross	75.00
Central Falls	315.00
Clear View	104.00
Deep River	480.00
Forest Park	268.18
Franklinville	900.00
Glenola	649.77
Gravel Hill	7.20
Greystone	680.00
High Rock	5.00
Hughes Grove	310.00
Huldah	275.00
Jackson Creek	60.00
Liberty, First	720.00
Macedonia	323.22
Maple Springs	205.00
Mt. Lebanon	240.00
Mt. Pleasant	500.00
Oakhurst	1,130.00
Oakwood Park	200.00
Panther Creek	120.00
Ramseur, First	811.00
Randleman, First	840.00
Richland	120.00
Riverside	120.00
Russell's Grove	1,357.51
Sandy Creek	165.00
Shady Grove	25.00
Union Grove	720.00
West Asheboro	88.27
Westfield	- 0 -
White's Memorial	15.00
Seagrove, First	110.00
Sophia	200.00
State Convention	724.00
State Tax Refund	79.87
Worthville	120.00
W.M.U. Refund	35.46
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR YEAR</b>	<b>\$17,919.46</b>

**TABLE A. CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION** YEAR ENDING September 30 — 1975  
(Month & Day)

State	Association	Churches	Pastors & Addresses (include zip code)	City	State	N. C.	Zip	Year ending Sept. 30, 1975										Total church debt at end of this association year						
								County	Year organized as church		Location		Services on Sunday?		Total Baptisms		Other additions by letter, statement, etc.)	Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Present nonresident members	No. members received from Baptist Churches	No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	Value of pastor's home if owned by pastor's home if	Value of church property including pastor's home
									1958	1959	Y	N	Y	N	1958	1959								
NORTH CAROLINA	Randolph	Antioch	Clyde C. Dawkins, Rt. 8, Box 330, Asheboro				27803	Randolph	1958	1	X				0	10	0	48	0	0	0	0	60,000.	3,918.
		Armfield Heights	B. C. Osenby, P.O. Box 696, Asheboro				27203	Randolph	1964	5	X				0	6	10	138	1	138	3	0	2	
		Asbury	B. L. Maness, Rt. 2, Seagrove				27341	Montgomery	1926	1	X				8	1	2		279	1	1	17,000.	18,711.	
		Asheboro, First	Vernon B. McDaniels, P.O. Box 936, Asheboro				27203	Randolph	1902	5	X				7	9	61	756	363	1,119	2	14	Self-own	900,000.
		Balfour	G. T. (Tom) Patterson, 1702 N. Fayetteville, Asheboro				27203	Randolph	1931	6	X				23	18	18	528	93	621	5	5	15,000.	180,000.
		Beulah	Curtis Barber, Rt. 2, Bennett				27208	Randolph	1902	1	X				12	4	8	491	49	540	1	1	50,000.	592,000.
		Calvary	Kenneth Tucker, Rt. 8, Box 230, Asheboro				27203	Randolph	1953	3	X				0	0	2	59	12	71	0	1	0	100,000.
		Caraway	Ronnie Copple, Rt. 1, Sophia				27350	Randolph	1888	1	X				4	1	2	58	67	125	0	0	20,000.	40,000.
		Cedar Falls	Wilburn Eaton, P.O. Box 187, Cedar Falls				27230	Randolph	1844	2	X				15	3	4	155	15	170	0	0	11,000.	70,000.
		Central Cross	Robert N. Hunsucker, 912 Breeze Hill Rd., Asheboro				27203	Randolph	1893	1	X				2	0	3	79	45	124	0	0	0	18,000.
		Central Falls	J. C. Mangum, P.O. Box 306, Central Falls				27232	Randolph	1893	7	X				22	2	10	253	81	334	0	3	25,000.	200,000.
		Clear View	Clyde Stutts, Rt. 1, Franklinville				27248	Randolph	1957	1	X				5	0	2	83	48	131	0	0	0	93,000.
		Deep River	Thomas G. Brown, Rt. 1, Box 208, Ramseur				27316	Randolph	1894	1	X				3	2	10	231	54	285	0	2	35,000.	60,000.
		Forest Park	William Slate, 321 McKnight St., Asheboro				27203	Randolph	1964	3	X				16	6	8	178	22	200	0	1	20,000.	160,000.
		Franklinville	N. A. Pegram, P.O. Box 111, Franklinville				27248	Randolph	1887	3	X				4	1	12	172	146	318	0	1	35,000.	203,000.
		Glensia	Cabot Iman, P.O. Box 4131, High Point				27263	Randolph	1914	2	X				4	4	31	5	26	31	3	17	25,000.	200,000.
		Gravel Hill	F. E. Baucum, Rt. 3, Denton				27239	Randolph	1901	1	X				2	3	0	136	26	162	0	0	13,000.	75,000.
		Greystone	Andrew P. Grosse, 863 Greystone Rd., Asheboro				27203	Randolph	1951	6	X				9	22	5	242	35	277	0	2	38,000.	274,000.
		Hughes Grove	John W. Wheelers, Rt. 2, Box 860, Thomasville				27360	Davidson	1931	1	X				24	7	10	295	0	295	0	0	26,000.	226,000.
		Huldah	Thomas N. Walker, Rt. 8, Box 178, Asheboro				27203	Randolph	1896	1	X				6	3	11	199	33	232	0	0	30,000.	130,000.
		Jackson Creek	Billy Joe Yates, Rt. 11, Lexington				27292	Randolph	1954	1	X				0	3	3	31	25	56	0	0	0	14,000.
		Liberty, First	Reginald G. Dawkins, P.O. Box 815, Liberty				27298	Randolph	1886	3	X				6	9	6	212	82	294	0	2	30,000.	120,000.
		Macedonia	Bill Smithwick, Rt. 2, Box 52, Liberty				27298	Randolph	1880	1	X				4	6	17	243	21	264	1	0	29,000.	250,000.
		Maple Springs	Jimmy Bussey, Seagrove				27341	Randolph	1888	1	X				4	3	4	100	30	130	0	7	10,000.	50,000.
		Rt. Lebanon						Randolph	1890	1	X				0	0	5				0	0	0	

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION		YEAR ENDING September 30, 1975
		(Month & Day)
Association		

State	RANDOLPH		Total church debt at end of this associational year		
	NORTH CAROLINA				
	Associational Clerk				
	Fred Lane				
Address	City	State	N. C.	Zip	27203
	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)				
CHURCHES					
St. Pleasant	Wayne Hill, P.O. Box 442-A, Liberty	27298			
Oakhurst	Cecil Haughtman, Jr., 2311 S. Fayetteville, Asheboro	27203			
Oakwood Park	Carl Zeigler, Rt. 7, Box 86, Asheboro	27203			
Panther Creek	John Beane, Rt. 4, Asheboro	27203			
Ramseur, First	Justus McKeel, P.O. Box 255, Ramseur	27316			
Randleman, First	Bobby G. Pratt, 201 Forrest Dr., Randleman	27317			
Richland					
Riverside	Charles L. Lassiter, P.O. Box 52, Star	27356			
Russell's Grove	Tommy Butler, Rt. 5, Box 372, Asheboro	27203			
Sandy Creek	D. D. Wright, Rt. 1, Liberty	27298			
Seagrave, First					
Shady Grove	Steve Chancey, Rt. 1, Staley	27355			
Sophia	Bill Barnes, Rt. 2, Box 226-R-4, Trinity	27263			
Union Grove	W. A. Gillett, Jr., Rt. 1, Box 59, Seagrave	27341			
West Asheboro	Charlie Miller, 1040 North St. Ext., Asheboro	27203			
Whites Memorial	Eddie Souther, Rt. 1, Franklinville	27248			
Northville	Garland T. Hall, Rt. 1, Ramseur	27316			

County	Year organized as a church	Location	Services held twice a month		Total Baptisms	Other addresses (by letter, statement, etc.)	Members last (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Grand total present members	No. members received from non Baptist Churches	No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	Value of church property including pastor's home	Total church debt at end of this associational year
			Y	N										
Randolph	1872	1	X		0	3	4	228	20	248	0	0	155,000.	0
Randolph	1945	7	X		22	22	16	471	127	598	1	2	113,913.	0
Randolph	1952	7	X		8	2	8	84	11	95	2	6	60,000.	0
Randolph	1942	1	X		0	0	4	61	10	71	0	0	12,000.	0
Randolph	1850	3	X		0	2	13	247	121	368	2	2	200,000.	0
Randolph	1895	4	X		5	5	7	284	124	408	0	1	40,000.	48,000.
Randolph	1951	1	X		11	5	9	150	0	150	0	0	125,000.	0
Randolph	1910	1	X		4	2	3	76	66	142	4	0	50,000.	0
Randolph	1935	2	X		5	4	15	113	113	226	2	4	30,000.	128,000.
Randolph	1755	1	X		6	3	4	110	19	129	5	0	35,000.	75,000.
Randolph	1966	3	X		15	10	6	109	5	114	0	0	24,000.	125,000.
Randolph	1755	1	X		5	2	1	138	33	171	0	0	17,000.	150,000.
Randolph	1959	3	X		13	12	6	154	12	166	1	0	127,000.	66,000.
Randolph	1885	1	X		12	10	13	464	76	540	1	0	50,000.	496,000.
Randolph	1971	4	X		6	10	6	91	3	94	0	0	75,000.	15,000.
Randolph	1908	1	X		8	1	0	218	4	222	1	0	45,000.	55,000.
Randolph	1966	2	X		6	0	5	104	10	114	0	0	48,000.	18,000.









TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC						
Association						(Month & Day)
RANDOLPH						
NORTH CAROLINA						
Associational Music Director William McIlvaine						
Address		City		State		N. C.
Route 8,		Ashboro				Zip 27203
MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)						
CHURCHES						
Antioch	Mrs. Diane Suratt, Rt. 4, Asheboro	27203	0	0	0	0
Atnfield Heights	Mrs. Cynthia Wilson, Rt. 1, Asheboro	27203	0	0	0	0
Asbury	Clay Davis, P.O. Box 198, Seagrove	27341	0	0	0	0
Asheboro, First	Jerry Jones, 1813 Dennis St., Asheboro	27203	0	0	25	25
Balfour	Mrs. Joe Church, 300 Tremont Dr., Asheboro	27203	0	6	25	44
Beulah	Rev. Nolan Jackson, Rt. 2, Bennett	27208	45	30	35	48
Calvary	Bobby Poole, Rt. 4, Box 30, Asheboro	27203	0	0	0	0
Caraway	Earl Underwood, Rt. 2, Sophia	27350	0	0	0	0
Cedar Falls	Clifford Haithcock, Rt. 1, Franklinville	27248	0	0	0	0
Center Cross	Leverette Strider, Rt. 8, Asheboro	27203	0	0	0	0
Central Falls	Walter M. Strider, Rt. 7, Asheboro	27203	4	8	15	30
Clear View	Mrs. Audrey Nance, Rt. 1, Franklinville	27248	0	3	2	14
Deep River	Cleo Cain, Rt. 1, Ramseur	27316	0	0	20	25
Forest Park	Carl King, 125 Oak Lane, Randleman	27317	0	0	15	20
Franklinville			0	0	12	18
Glenola	Wayne Trotter, Rt. 1, Box 265, Sophia	27350	0	0	7	28
Gravel Hill	Paul Cagle, Rt. 3, Denton	27239	0	0	0	0
Greystone	William McIlvaine, Rt. 8, Box 25, Asheboro	27203	9	20	8	25
Hughes Grove	Mike Penniss , 3940 Elkton Trail, Winston-Salem	27107	15	31	8	25
HulDAH	Lewis Thomas, Rt. 4, Asheboro	27203	0	0	0	24
Jackson Creek	Mrs. Reba Grubb, Rt. 1, Trinity	27350	0	0	0	0
Liberty, First	Pike Johnson, P.O. Box 926, Liberty	27298	0	15	0	00
Macedonia	Mrs. Doris York, Rt. 2, Liberty	27298	5	12	15	26
Maple Springs	M. E. Callicutt, Jr., Rt. 8, Asheboro	27203	0	0	0	0
Mt. Lebanon	Harold Strider, Rt. 5, Asheboro	27203	0	0	0	0



TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION			YEAR ENDING September 30 - 1975				Enrollment												Total WMU ongoing enrollment			
Association RANDOLPH			(Month & Day)																			
State	Churches	Address	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)				Number of Organizations					Mission Friends (5 years and under - not in school)	Actives (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Mission Friends (6-11 years or grades 1-12)	Actives (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or older)	Missions of church (30 and over)	Church's of				
			City	State	N. C.	Zip	Mission Friends (5 years and under - not in school)	Actives (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or older)	Missions of church (30 and over)	Total number of organizations											
NORTH CAROLINA	Associational WMU Director	Mrs. Calvin Braver				27203																
	Route 4, Inwood Road		Asheboro																			
	Armfield Heights	Bertha Fitzgerald, 428 E. Allred St., Asheboro				27203	3	5	1	1	1	0	11	26	37	14	10	129	8	0	224	
	Asheboro, First	Mrs. B. W. Jackson, 910 Oakmont Drive, Asheboro				27203	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	20	15	21	30	27	5	0	118	
	Balfour	Mrs. Pat Smith, 225 W. Beasley St., Asheboro				27203	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	8	
	Calvary	Mrs. Francis Gallicut, Rt. 3, Box 96, Asheboro				27203	1	1	1	0	1	4	0	11	7	6	0	17	1	0	42	
	Caraway	Mrs. Earl Underwood, Rt. 2, Sophia				27350	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	3	0	15	
	Cedar Falls	Mrs. Ethel Eaton, P.O. Box 187 Cedar Falls				27230	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	12	8	8	0	32	15	0	65	
	Central Falls	Mrs. O. P. Loman, 901 Liberty Rd., Asheboro				27203	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	6	6	3	0	10	5	9	39	
	Clear View	Mrs. Jane Merritt, Rt. 1, Franklinville				27248	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	6	6	3	0	10	5	9	39	
	Forest Park	Mrs. Ruby Williams, 420 Sunrise Ave., Asheboro				27203	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	12	7	8	0	23	5	0	55	
	Franklinville	Miss Lois Grose, P.O. Box 113, Franklinville				27248	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	8	1	0	9
	Greystone	Mrs. Ruth Pugh, 613 Dublin Road, Asheboro				27203	1	1	1	0	3	0	6	8	9	8	0	31	7	0	63	
	Hughes Grove	Mrs. Judy Beasley, RFD 2, Trinity				27350	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	14	8	12	0	14	0	4	48	
	Jackson Creek	Mrs. Dale Craven, Rt. 2, Thomasville, N. C.				27360	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	5	3	0	15		
	Liberty, First	Mrs. Laia Ward, Rt. 1, Staley				27355	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	5	6	7	0	33	4	0	55	
	Macedonia	Mrs. Lee Garrett, Rt. 1, Liberty				27298	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	6	6	0	0	14	2	0	28	
	Maple Springs	Mrs. Hazel Adams, 1924 Howard Ave., Asheboro				27203	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	8	1	0	11	
	Mt. Lebanon	Mrs. Sara Reynolds, Naiman Avenue, Asheboro				27203	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	3	0	13	
	Mt. Pleasant	Mrs. Peggy Neachum, Rt. 1, Liberty				27298	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	8	8	14	6	24	6	0	66	
	Oakhurst	Mrs. Joyce King, 2050 Lindale Drive, Asheboro				27203	1	2	1	0	1	0	5	10	27	11	0	44	1	0	93	
	Oakwood Park	Mrs. Ben Davis, Rt. 1, Box 427, Asheboro				27203	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	5	14	10	0	11	0	0	41	
	Ramsour, First	Mrs. Gary Kinrey, P.O. Box 573, Ramsour				27316	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	9	7	8	0	27	7	0	58	
	Randleman, First	Mrs. Ray Hudson, Sr., 118 Northville Rd., Randleman				27317	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	2	8	8	0	10	7	0	33	
	Richland	Mrs. Thomas Kennedy, Rt. 1, Asheboro				27203	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	23	10	0	33	
	Russell's Grove	Mrs. Carolyn Woolley, Rt. 5, Asheboro				27203	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	5	13	0	0	16	1	0	35	
	Sandy Creek	Mrs. Doris Thompson, Liberty				27298	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	13	3	0	16	

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION		YEAR ENDING September 30, 1975
		(Month & Day)
Association		



TABLE F BROTHERHOOD Association			YEAR ENDING September 30 (Month & Day)		1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
RANDOLPH														
State NORTH CAROLINA														
Associational Brotherhood Director William Applewhite														
Address			City	Asheboro	State	N. C.	Zip	27203						
RD 1			BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)											
CHURCHES														
Armfield Heights			Bob Howard, 201 Sterling St., Asheboro 27203											
Asheboro, First			W. C. Lucas, P.O. Box 1107, Asheboro 27203											
Balfour			Bill Bridges, 1931 Greenwood Rd., Asheboro 27203											
Calvary			Charles Callicutt, Rt. 3, Box 96, Asheboro 27203											
Central Falls			Franklin Allred, Rt. 2, Randleman 27317											
Clear View			Richard Smith, Rt. 1, Franklinville 27248											
Forest Park			Paul Bouldin, 311 Sharon Ave. Asheboro 27203											
Greystone			Rev. Hansel Neathery, 627 Dixon Ave., Asheboro 27203											
Mt. Pleasant			James Adkins, Rt. 1, Box 428-A, Liberty 27298											
Oakhurst			Bill Applewhite, Rt. 1, Box 458, Asheboro 27203											
Ransour, First			M. J. Pate, Rt. 1, Box 12-B, Staley 27355											
Randleman, First			Giles Lamb, 204 Reynolds Rd., Randleman 27317											
Russell's Grove			Dempsey Voncammon, Asheboro 27203											
Sophia			9 7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0											
Union Grove			Clinton McNeill, Westwood Drive, Seagrave 27341											

TABLE G. TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP										YEAR ENDING 9-30 1975	
Association										(Month & Day)	
RANDOLPH											
NORTH CAROLINA											
Associational Treasurer											
Address											
913 Shamrock Rd.											
CHURCHES											
Mrs. Diane Stratt, Rt. 4, Box 280-B										27203	
Warren Stuart, 611 Dixon Avenue, Asheboro										27203	
Albert Brewer, Rt. 2, Seagrove										27341	
B. G. Hardee, Rt. 1, Asheboro										27203	
Neal Cockerham, 447 E. Kivett, Asheboro										27203	
L. L. Purvis, Rt. 2, Bennett										27208	
Bobby Poole, Rt. 4, Box 30, Asheboro										27203	
Mrs. Evelyn Cooper, Rt. 1, Sophia										27350	
Mrs. Teresa Wood, Rt. 1, Franklinville										27248	
Miss Amanda Greene, Rt. 8, Asheboro										27203	
Claude Poole, P.O. Box 274, Central Falls										27232	
Jimmy Smith, P.O. Box 245, Cedar Falls										27230	
Jerry Atwood, 1864 Howard Avenue, Asheboro										27203	
Gilbert Ingold, 923 Central Falls Rd.										27203	
Lawrence Grose, Rt. 6, Asheboro										27203	
Protus Wood, 4919 Wood Avenue, High Point										27263	
Mrs. Wanda Latham, Rt.1, Denton										27239	
Miss Beth Cruise, 1544 Thornsedale St.										27203	
Mrs. Thelma Bowers, Rt. 3, Thomasville										27360	
Wayne Thomas, Rt. 4, Asheboro										27203	
Mrs. Clyde Scarlett, Rt. 11, Box 105, Lex.										27292	
Mrs. Louise Davis, Box 301-A, Liberty										27298	
Mrs. Grace Wolfe, Rt. 2, Liberty										27298	
Floyd Hancock, Rt. 1, Asheboro										27203	
V. L. Callcutt, Rt. 5, Asheboro										27203	

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP	YEAR ENDING 9-30	1975
Association		
(Month & Day)		

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TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES					YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30																
Association					(Month & Day)		135	136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148	149
State	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)				Money paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	Designated State missions	Designated SBC Home Missions (incl. Lottie Armstrong Easter offering)	Designated SBC Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	Designated Christian education (schools, etc.)	Designated: Children's homes (cash plus goods)	Designated: Hospitals	Designated: All other homes for the aged	Designated: Bible Society Temperance League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total		
	City	State	N. C.	Zip																	
RANDOLPH																					
NORTH CAROLINA																					
Director of Associational Missions																					
R. T. Smith																					
Address	251 S. Elm St.	Asheboro	N. C.	27203																	
CHURCHES																					
Antioch	Mrs. Lillie Craven, Rt. 4, Box 284,	Asheboro		27203	0	0	0	0	150	0	50	120	0	25	25	25	120	0	350	2650	
Armfield Heights	Joseph E. Turner, 1434 Winslow St.,	Asheboro		27203	0	0	0	2,300	230	0	0	0	0	0	120	0	0	350	2650		
Asbury	Mrs. Eunice Hancock, Rt. 2, Seagrave			27341	0	0	0	120	120	0	0	49	0	300	76	232	0	777	897		
Asheboro, First	Mrs. June Auman, 623 Stowe St.,	Asheboro		27203	0	0	0	19,324	2,400	189	795	2,900	145	712	319	352	8,652	16,456	35,780		
Balfour	Lewis Pritchard, Rt. 1, Asheboro			27203	0	0	0	16,526	1,080	76	374	1,466	15	472	67	88	2,741	6,379	22,905		
Beulah	Mrs. Betty L. Maness, Rt. 2, Box 40-A, Bennett			27208	0	0	0	0	500	0	0	0	1,000	600	200	0	12,074	14,374	14,374		
Calvary	Mrs. Gail Smith, Rt. 1, Box 94, Asheboro			27203	0	0	0	418	100	10	68	140	20	41	31	25	20	455	873		
Caraway	Mrs. Joyce King, P.O. Box 4301, High Point			27263	0	0	0	589	100	0	135	264	0	45	7	9	50	1,015	1,604		
Cedar Falls	Mrs. E. C. Callicutt, Rt. 1, Franklinville			27248	0	116	116	967	156	25	97	237	0	40	24	21	0	600	1,683		
Center Cross	Mrs. Ruby Epps, Rt. 1, Box 125-A, Star			27356	0	255	255	254	75	50	100	557	0	302	435	135	859	2,421	2,930		
Central Falls	Mrs. Larry Greene, Rt. 6, Box 569, Asheboro			27203	0	0	0	1,420	300	66	129	1,621	0	220	17	0	0	2,353	3,773		
Clear View	Mrs. Audrey Nance, Rt. 1, Franklinville			27248	0	0	0	152	152	0	456	1,241	0	83	0	37	270	2,239	2,391		
Deep River	Mrs. Robert Trogdon, Rt. 1, Box 116, Ramseur			27316	0	0	0	3,058	480	0	0	0	0	120	70	0	0	670	3,728		
Forest Park	Mrs. Susan Davis, Rt. 2, Box 568-C, Randleman			27317	0	0	0	2,704	267	204	259	641	0	62	56	20	36	1,545	4,249		
Franklinville	Mrs. Howard Saunders, P.O. Box 136, Franklinville			27248	0	0	0	4,091	720	101	208	845	19	126	78	80	125	2,302	6,393		
Glenola	Mrs. Maribel Gray, Rt. 2, Box 235, Trinity			27370	0	0	0	1,625	650	0	26	100	0	173	80	100	460	1,589	3,214		
Gravel Hill	Mrs. Barbara Bean, Rt. 1, Denton			27239	0	0	0	360	60	0	0	270	0	240	86	87	395	455	815		
Greystone	Mrs. Carolyn Crawford, Rt. 1, Box 426, Asheboro			27203	0	0	0	8,814	690	0	385	528	30	70	63	65	365	2,196	11,010		
Hughes Grove	Mrs. Fleta Barker, Rt. 2, Lexington			27292	0	0	0	185	300	15	15	374	0	15	15	15	240	989	989		
Huldaah	Mrs. Brenda Edwards, Rt. 8, Asheboro			27203	0	0	0	100	275	125	535	2,770	625	170	220	150	1,235	6,105	6,205		
Jackson Creek	Mrs. Paul Cody, Rt. 2, Box 36, Denton			27239	0	0	0	0	60	25	0	100	0	50	75	0	0	310	0		
Liberty, First	Mrs. Annie T. Flynt, Rt. 2, Box 180, Liberty			27298	0	0	0	2,400	720	28	378	886	200	219	215	247	591	3,484	5,484		
Macedonia	Mrs. Marie Ferguson, P.O. Box 5254, Liberty			27298	0	0	0	1,576	303	0	0	301	0	79	62	0	237	983	2,560		
Maple Springs	Mrs. Clacie King, Rt. 2, Box 9, Seagrave			27341	0	0	0	1,212	205	0	855	80	0	76	0	0	0	440	1,659		
Mr. Lebanon	Mrs. Marie Shaw, Rt. 5, Box 212, Asheboro			27203	0	0	0	1,100	240	70	146	188	0	223	235	151	0	1,273	2,373		



TABLE H. 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